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# Call to do more for town's yout

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"I have taken time to speak to many youngsters in recent weeks about the closure of The Grove and have asked them what they will do. Although a few said they didn't know a vast majority said they would go to local pubs on Friday and Saturday nights and then end up out on the town streets.

"That has to be a cause for concern and I'm sure not a message the police will want to hear. But it's a fact.

"It is obvious that as a council we can't open a nightclub, but I believe there is much we can do to help our young people. We could, for example, try and find a suitable venue for such a club and then promote it to try and get someone to run it.

"We could also make a commitment to the youth of Seaton that we will replace their youth club with something that will serve them now and in future generations. I believe we owe them that at least when millions are being spent on a discovery centre that basically won't benefit them at all."

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THE young people of Seaton are a credit to the town.

That's the view of Seaton's Neighbourhood Police Manager, PC Steve Speariett, who has reported fewer anti-social behaviour incidents in the town during the summer months.

In his regular crime report to Seaton Town Council, PC Speariett said – compared to last August – crime in Seaton had fallen by 20 per cent.

PC Speariett told last week's council meeting: 'Crime has reduced from last month and is well below the long term average of 29 crimes.

"What is also pleasing is that we have not seen many incidents of antisocial behaviour during the summer holiday.

"The Neighbourhood team would like to pass on our thanks to the young people of Seaton who are a credit top the

PC Speariett said they had, however, received a small number of complaints of ant-social driving and the team would be targeting this area over the coming months.

The 16 crimes reported in August included two cases of possession of cannabis and one of drink driving in which a 25 year-old local woman was arrested and subsequently charged after she crashed her vehicle in Durley Road.



in Bloom Awards. Not only have they won gold but they've also been awarded the Cox Cup for the best village. Ursula Makepeace is pictured outside the Mariners' Hall with the cup See page 4



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# PEOPLE IN THE NEWS



OTTERY: Local couple Rodney and Vanessa Hancock are celebrating becoming millionaires after winning the Euro Millions Millionaire Raffle.



AXMINSTER: Ronald Cooper, 90, has become on of the first people in the world to have a revoluntionary eye lens implant to restore his sight.



COLYTON: FORMERresident Joan White signed copies of her new book, "Footprints In the Sands of Time", about the history of former youth club George's Meeting House.



OFFWELL: Cakemaker Claire Arscott was commissioned to make a cake for a gathering at River Cottage, Axminster – for the family of pop star Gary Barlow.

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# Quotes of the week...

YOUR plans take little account of potential growth, and any increase in medical requirements will put more pressure on Royal Devon & Exeter Hospital, which may not be able to cope. There is a real concern that once in-patient facilities are withdrawn, other services may also go. Axminster Hospital has only recently undergone a major refurbishment, cost £3.5 million, mostly funded by the LoF. I know we are due to have 'conversations' with the CCG about what services the hospital may provide, but you must understand that local people are suspicious of this'

MAYOR of Axminster Jeremy Walden writing to the NHS in protest over the closure of all in-patients beds at Axminster Hospital

WE have listened to what people have said and believe our commissioning intentions, our proposals for the future, meet this shared vision. We know people prefer to be at home with the right support and we know that we need to rethink the way care is designed to ensure this support is provided'

Dr David Jenner, chairman of the Eastern Locality of NEW Devon CCG, on the reorganisation of hospital services in East Devon.



# IN THIS WEEK'S PULMAN'S VIEW

# SPORT Tigers appoint new managers

**KEITH** Somers and Pete Knox have been appointed as the new joint first-team managers at South–West Peninsula League Division one side Axminster Town.

A statement on the South-West Peninsula League website forum read: "We (ATFC) are delighted to announce the club has appointed Peter Knox and Keith Somers as our new management team.

"Pete has a wealth of playing experience having turned out for; Alfreton Town, Gainsborough Trinity, Eastwood Town, Harrogate Town, Worksop Town, Merthyr Tydfil, Taunton Town and Bridgwater Town. This is his first step into management.

"Keith played for Colyton and Beer Albion. He has managed Colyton and Seaton Town and has for the past four years been one of Exeter City's Advanced Development Centre Managers working with the Academy.

"We felt that Pete's experience of playing at a high level mixed with Keith's management experience and knowledge of local players was the best fit for our club."

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## **AXMINSTER**

# **Public meeting to** save hospital beds

AXMINSTER Hospital League of Friends (LoF) has issued a rallying cry and called a public meeting in a bid to reverse the in-patient bed closure proposal for Axminster Hospital.

Last Thursday's NHS Northern Eastern and Western Devon Clinical Commissioning Group (NEW CCG) announcement confirmed fears that Axminster Hospital in-beds were on a hit list.

Axminster Hospital LoF's offer to NEW CCG of up to £300,000 over three years to keep the inpatient beds open did not have the desired effect and has not been met with an official response.

But the League of Friends has not given up. After Thursday's announcement, they called an emergency meeting the following day when it was decided to hold a public meeting at 4pm on Saturday, October 4th in Axminster Guildhall to which all are invited.

LoF member Mervyn Symes said the public meeting had been called to discuss the best way forward to retain the in-patient beds.

He explained: "We need the input of the community, and the support of the community.

"We are trying to convince NEW CCG they made the wrong decision."

When asked why it had not accepted the LoF offer, a NEW CCG spokesperson said: "We can confirm that we have received a letter which we believe is from Axminster [Hospital] League of Friends.

"Unfortunately, the letter is unsigned so we just need to establish who it has come from before we can receive it as official feedback.

"The purpose of this 12-week period of involvement and consultation is to hear proposals, so we welcome all feedback.'

The statement indicates that the LoF offer may not have been flatly refused, and could possibly have some bearing on the final decision

# From the editor's chair It won't be an easy ride for NHS



SO the fight is on to save the in-patient beds at Axminster and Ottery St Mary hospitals. Axminster knew what was coming (all ten beds to close) but it came as a real shock to Ottery where it was expected that some beds would remain.

I understand that in the end it was a straight fight between Seaton and Axminster. Health officials finally came down on the side of Seaton because it has more elderly people than Axminster.

The offer from Axminster Hospital League of Friends to provide £300, 000 over three years to keep their wards open has not been met with an official response, other than the rather pathetic excuse that the letter from the League of Friends was unsigned.

The League of Friends called an emergency meeting on Friday morning and decided to hold a public meeting on Saturday, October 4th to which NHS officials will be invited to explain why Axminster was singled out for the closure

of all in-patient beds.

Public bodies are duty bound these days to consult with residents but the fear is that the NHS officials will just be going through the motions and that the decision has been made.

Axminster Mayor Jeremy Walden hopes this is not the case. He fired off a two-page letter to the NHS last week pointing out that they should have taken into consideration the rapid expansion that Axminster faces in years to come.

The medical profession in Axminster fear that once the beds are closed they will never re-open and that other facilities at the hospital, such as the X-ray department, could follow suit.

One thing is for sure: the NHS officials who attend the public meeting on October 4th will not get an easy ride.

♦ YOU rarely get something for nothing in this day and age - unless, of course, you are part of the Christian community in Seaton.

On Saturday I was invited to the re-opening of the Freedom Café in Seaton, which throws its

doors open on the third Saturday morning of every month to all and sundry.

Now in its fifth year, the Freedom Cafe has been closed since April for the refurbishment of St Gregory's Church hall, which included a new kitchen and roof, which cost £150,000.

The café was officially reopened by the Mayor, Councillor Gaynor Sedgwick, on Saturday and for the rest of the morning no fewer than 474 enjoyed free food and comradeship. Actually, you don't have to be a Christian to

take advantage of this wonderful facility; it's open to all.

As well as providing free food, the Freedom Cafe since its inception has donated, £2,500 to local good causes. In all they have 60 volunteers, many from the Christian community in Seaton, and other volunteers.

The idea is to bring people together. It doesn't matter who you are – a warm welcome awaits all at the Freedom Café.

It was a very happy occasion. Seaton at its

# SEATON/COLYTON

# Plea to do more for town's youth

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And he concluded: "We have to listen to our young people or ignore them at our peril. They are the fu-

# SIDMOUTH

# **Hospital to lose** minor injuries unit

SIDMOUTH Victoria Hospital is set to lose its minor injuries unit, under the latest NHS proposals for the future of community care in the town.

The Northern Eastern and Western Devon Clinical Commissioning Group (NEW Devon CCG), which oversees health care provision in the area, unveiled its plans on Wednesday for the future of community services across the Wakley sub-locality's five hospitals.

The cost-cutting measures are designed to maximise efficiency across the area, with hospitals in Axminster, Seaton, Honiton and Ottery St Mary also affected.

All in-patient beds at Sidmouth will remain in place and some will be reallocated to the hospital in the short term.

But the minor injuries unit, along with the emergency facility at Ottery, will be cut, leaving Honiton as the locality's only remaining unit.

But the CCG has also indicated its intentions to reduce the number of beds across all the hospitals in the long-term, as it moves closer towards a 'hospital at home' model.

The plans are now open to a 12-week consultation period.

# OTTERY St MARY

# 'Horrified' by beds closure

ALL in-patient beds and the minor injuries unit at Ottery St Mary Hospital are set to be closed, confirming residents' worst fears about the future of community care in the town.

The Northern Eastern and Western Devon Clinical Commissioning Group (NEW Devon CCG) unveiled its proposals for community services across the Wakley sub-locality's five hospitals on Wednesday.

Ff the plans are approved later this autumn, Ottery will also lose its in–patient beds and minor injuries unit, with services focused on the CCG's remaining hospitals in Honiton, Seaton and Sid-

Devon County Councillor for Ottery Claire Wright, who is also a member of the council's health and wellbeing scrutiny committee, said she was "horrified" by the plans.

She added: "I had assumed there would be some proposals for bed losses but am horrified that all that Ottery will have left is an empty building, with a vague promise of it becoming a health and wellbeing 'hub'.

There has been widespread concern about what services will continue to be provided at Ottery Hospital, as the CCG moves further towards its 'hospital at home' model.



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# Heights resubmit planning application

LYME Bay Leisure has had to resubmit a planning application for its hotel and holiday complex at Seaton Heights.

A revised planning application for a 12-bedroom hotel, 38 units of holiday accommodation, a restaurant, a leisure club and other amenities was approved this spring after a long battle with several stumbling blocks.

But there were more stumbling blocks, and only a few weeks ago the company described progress as being at a "snail's pace". In a further update, issued on

September 17th, the company said: "After several months of delay. Lyme Bay Leisure has resubmitted the planning applica-

"The revised planning application report is out for public consultation, yet again, and is due to return to East Devon District October 1st. The earlier application was stalled because of a raft of issues to do with bat conservation and the protection and maintenance of their traditional flyways across the derelict site of the old Seaton Heights Hotel.

"Following the advice of ecologists and bat conservationists, Lyme Bay Leisure undertook an extensive landscaping and redesign with appropriate management measures to be introduced that safeguard the future in perpetuity of several rare species of bats.

"Following the planning meeting Lyme Bay Leisure is determined to start construction within the next few months before the winter gets underway."

Lyme Bay Leisure chairman David Sullivan said: "The project is now significantly delayed.

"This has proven hugely costly to us but it is hoped that EDDC will at last give their approval and we can start to make headway in delivering this project that all Seaton residents have been hugely supportive of." Once planning consent is given,

construction could be completed over an 18-month period. Phase one, the hotel, restau-

rant and spa could be completed within 12 months, the company MD James Hetherington added:

"Following discussions with our project management and building contractors, we hope to announce a start date quite soon.

"We are frustrated like everyone else with the hold-ups but we are as committed as ever to bring this project to Seaton and be part of the town's regenera-

# Beer scoops top Bloom award

tory in the annual South West Britain in Bloom Awards.

Competing against five others in the village category - the categories comprised small village, village and large village - Beer not only won gold but was also awarded the Cox Cup for the best village

"I am just totally over the moon," said Ursula Makepeace, who is chairwoman of the Beer Horticultural Society and led the campaign.

"This is the first time we have ever won the Cox Cup, which was introduced in 1977 so that is brilliant. I have also been given a big flag to put up somewhere in the village. It was a lot of hard work by a lot of people and I had a lot of support."

The judges praised Beer's floral displays, which comprised 50 per cent of the total marks, as 'outstanding' while the level of community participation was described as 'good' and the environment 'satisfac-

The village also received four RHS It's Your Neigh-

bourhood Awards for the outstanding appearance of Beer Brook, St Michael's Church, Charlie's Yard and the Beer War Memorial.

The gold certificate, cup and other awards are a just reward for Ursula, who has been involved in promoting the appearance of Beer for almost 30 years and almost quit last year after the bitter disappointment of failing to win the competition.

But her persistence and dedication have been rewarded as in addition to the recognition of Beer she also received a special award.

"I was fifty-fifty before the awards at Trowbridge Civic Centre on Thursday as I have been disappointed on many occasions in the past," added Ursula.

"Beer has won the gold certificate in the past but it was not as important as now, as the regime has become far more demanding so this feels very special.

"In addition I was very proud when the judges read out my name as the winner of the Community Champion award, which has only ever been won by three other people in the South West. It was a great day."

# **Environment Agency to block sculptures**

THE Environment Agency is set to block East Devon District Council's (EDDC) planned erection of sculptured waves and interpretive pillars at Fisherman's Gap. As reported last week, the proposal is a contro-

Seaton Town Council backs the idea, but two town councillors - Val Christmas and Tony Woodman requested that their votes against be recorded. The latter went as far as saying the proposed constructions would look like something from Disneyland. The proposal is part of a wider 'hot spot' scheme

for key entry points to Seaton and the Jurassic EDDC has submitted a planning application but

suffered a setback when the Environment Agency formally opposed the idea. A letter, dated September 18th, to EDDC from the

Environment Agency said: "We object to this proposal for the following reasons. "The proposed sculptures are located on land that

forms part of the Seaton Coastal Defence Scheme; a flood alleviation scheme that is operated and maintained by the Environment Agency. "The proposed sculptures and interpretation pillar

appear to be located in a manner that would: a) prevent the closure of the main flood gates that facilitate vehicular access through the sea wall, and, b) would restrict our access to the flood wall for necessary inspection, repair and maintenance pur-

"It is also important that the applicant notes that any structures such as those proposed within seven metres of such coastal flood defences will require our Flood Defence consent under the terms of the Water Resources Act 1991.

"We will withhold our consent for any structures that would restrict our ability to safely access, operate, maintain and rebuild such a structure.

An EDDC spokesperson said: "We are working with the Environment Agency to address their concerns

about the exact location of the hot spot. "Of course public safety with regards to flood defence is always our priority and we will therefore be considering how we can overcome any such concerns. We are committed to the hot spots as a way of extending the reach of Seaton Jurassic to the seafront and encouraging visitors to see for themselves our amazing beach and coastline."

Full details of the proposal and how to comment are available on EDDC's website at www.eastdevon. gov.uk via the planning portal (planning ref 14/1897).

# Help town's youth

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small working party of two or three interested councillors who could talk to youngsters and come back with a report on what they wanted and what was fea-

"It won't happen overnight but I believe it would be a task well worth undertaking to show we do actually care about our young people and they are not ignored," he said. "Done now we could prepare the groundwork for action when a new council takes over next year.'

And he concluded: "We have to listen to our young people or ignore them at our peril. They are the future of Seaton, they deserve our respect and I believe we should invest in them. Let us be the council that listens and acts for our teenagers. We must do all we can to help them and I commend the motion to council."

The council agreed to set up a working party consisting of Councillors Woodman, Peter Burrows and

# Probus members travel by steam

ON A beautiful autumn day, a group from the Seaton & District Men's Probus Club enjoyed an outing which encompassed varitrip to Paignton, a steam train to Kingswear, a ferry across to Dartmouth and then a wonderfully scenic trip up the River Dart on the paddle steamer

'Kingswear Castle'

There was time to briefly enjoy the delights of Dartmouth before making the return trip to Seaton.

last remaining coal-fired paddle steamer in operation in the UK today. She was built by Philip & Son of Dartmouth 90 years ago in her heyday she carried almost 500 passengers and was the lifeblood of the River Dart.

The chief officer of the 'Kingswear Castle' gave an eloquent and amusing commentary which added to the enjoyment of the cruise. As well as describing the interesting, and costly, homes along the riverside he also pointed out the many oyster beds and the wildlife that lives in the wonderful habitat that borders the river.

The trip was a prelude to the first meeting of the 2014-2015 programme which will be held on Wednesday, October 1st, when Selwyn Williams will be speaking on 'local wrecks'.

Meetings, which commence at

10am, are held at St Gregory's Church Centre, Colyford Road, Seaton

As well as the fortnightly meetings, members also enjoy coffee get-togethers and informal dining out in Seaton. The club for retired or semi-re-

tired professional men welcomes new members and Keith West on 01297 624374 will be pleased to provide further information.

# Bowls teach-in for Catenians



FOLLOWING the very successful croquet teach-in, Axminster Catenian Bob Turpin invited local society members for an indoor bowls teach-in at Cloakham Lawn Sports Centre, coffee kindly provided by Sue Turpin. One or two members were declared 'promising'

Big coffee morning

HAWKCHURCH Village Hall is set to take part

in Macmillan World's Biggest Coffee Morning

on Friday September 26th, starting at 10am for

The annual event has been going for ten

years and is organised by Maggie Stead. There

will be stalls and a raffle, with many prizes al-

ready donated by local companies and individ-

The Catenians then enjoyed lunch at the Hunters Moon. Some of the Bowls students are pictured with Bob and Sue Turpin, third and fourth from the left.

# 'Disorder' author

LOCAL writer Paddy Magrane will be signing copies of his bestselling psychological thriller -Disorder - at Miller's Farm Shop in Kilmington, on

Disorder tells the story of a psychotherapist

# Saturday September 27th from 10am.

#### fighting for his life to discover the truth after his client, a cabinet minister, is found dead. The book has received rave reviews since its publication in May. It was described as 'stonkingly good' by ethriller.com while crimebookclub.co.uk called it 'a nerve twisting thriller that will delight readers who enjoyed The Ghost by Robert Harris'.

# Whistlestop tour of Italy

ACTING as president for the meeting. Jan Probert welcomed everyone, after the summer break, to the September meeting of Seaton WI.

Jerusalem was then sung accompanied by Mary Fone. Jan then discussed coming events - a group meeting at Colyford, a quiz night in Beer, a trip to Salisbury and the opportunity to attend a course at Denman College with the Devon federation.

A competition to choose who should make chocolate chip cookies for the group weeting was won by Val Rutter. After tea and the remaining cookies, Wendy Hall gave us an interesting whistlestop tour from a bird's eye view of Mount Vesuvius, around the Sorrento peninsula and Amalfi coast, showing all the different styles of architecture in the churches and the art and culture of the region.

The vote of thanks was given by Aimee Guard. Flower of the month and the competition was won by Denise England.

The next meeting will be on Tuesday, October 21st. 

■ THE September meeting of the Honiton Afternoon WI was very pleased to welcome Josephine Nicoletti as their guest speaker.

coffee and goodies.

It was a very entertaining afternoon with Jo explaining how she first became involved in the beautiful craftwork of pressed flowers. She had many adventures to relate of her early years of trying to make a living with this craft.

Eventually she became very successful and spent a great deal of time working in France. She later returned to the UK and spent some time living in the Dartmouth

Members were very interested to see a display of her work which be on the October 13th, included scrapbooks, pictures, cards and various other items. To complete a very enjoyable afternoon every member was given a pressed flower bookmark as a memento of her visit. A vote of thanks was given by the president, Maureen Doidge.

The next meeting will

at 2.pm, in the Methodist Chapel, when the speaker will be from the WESC Foundation (The Specialist Centre for Visual Impairment), Exeter. The talk will be entitled "Who we are, what we do, projects and events this year". Visitors are always very welcome to attend.

# Exhibition success for art society

HONITON Art Society's successful 50th exhibition ended last week.

Although visitor numbers were slightly down, those that attended gave very favourable comments on the high standard of work on show, which was reflected in some very good sales.

The public's choice for favourite exhibit was Jan-

ice Barrett's watercolour painting - The Tree.

The first autumn meeting of the society will take place on Monday, October 13th in Awliscombe Village Hall, from 2pm to 4pm, when Robin Gray will be demonstrating painting caves in oil pastel.

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# Hard work pays off for college sixth formers

merous students when Axe Valley Community College held its annual prize evening for Year 11 and Sixth Form.

The event was held at the Axminster college on Thursday, September 11th. Chairman of governors Graham Watts welcomed students and visitors before headteacher Martin Smith and Axminster Mayor Jeremy Walden addressed the students and guests.

The awards were presented by last year's head of Year 11 Ian Hunt and current head of sixth form Rupert Carr. Each award winner was called to the

stage and a brief citation read out before the award was presented.

Key Stage 4 The Basil Tomkins Prize for English - Gracie Carpenter, The Peter Courtney Cup for Achievement in Maths - Oliver Bilbie, The Graham Watts Award for Physics - Josh Bolton, TAVCC Award for Chemistry - Sian Summers, TAVCC Award for Biology - Jess Board, Headteacher's Cup for Geography -Josh Bolton, The Mayoress's Award for History - Sian Summers, The Bath Travel Trophy for Languages - Jade Bridge, The Betty Holmes Award for Axhievement in a Foreign Language - Gracie Carpenter, TAVCC Award for Art - Jess Evans, TAVCC Award for Graphics GCSE - Leah Champion, The Bryan Stean Award for Music - Cameron McDougal, The Axe Valley Cup for Achievement - Chloe Burrough, The Beviss & Beckingsale Trophy for BTEC Fashion -Jess King, TAVCC Prize for Food and Nutrition - Megan Ingerfield, The Mayor's Cup for Technology - Louisa Hutton, TAVCC Award for Hospitality - Josie Hunt, TAVCC Award for ICT - Mikila Vernon, The Chamber of Trade and Commerce Award for Academic Achievement - Sian Summers, Douglas Hull Trophy for Most Improvement in a Vocational Course - Edenbelle Durias, The James Vickery Scroll Award for Outstanding Sporting Achievement - Matthew Mortimer, The Tony Vickery Cup for Effort and Progress in Physical Education - Chloe Loveridge, The Robin Cross Shield for Improvement in PE (Girls) - Jess King, The Robin Cross Shield for Improvement in PE (Boys) - Callum Reed, Governors' Award for Year 11 - Jessica King, Ruth Coglan SEN Award - Leah Cozens,

Sixth Form

Headteacher's Award for English - Erica Adams, The Joliff Cup for Achievement in Mathematics - Kieran Parker, TAVCC Award for Biology - Emily Glover, The Joy Hull Plate for Chemistry - Simon Holland, The Sixth Form Science Award - Kieran Parker, The Fred Wells Award for Geography -Abbie Dowse, TAVCC Award for Advanced Level History - Heather Rowley, Head-teacher's Award for Art Matilda Board, TAVCC Award for Photography - Beth Edwards, TAVCC Award for Music - Marcus Wood, The Cloud 9 Award for Drama Marcus Wood, TAVCC Award for ICT - Jack Paddick, TAVCC Award for Economics Adele Gage, TAVCC Award for Law - Jared Stevens, The Mayor's Cup for Achievement in Social Science - Amy Harris, TAVCC Award for Sociology - Scarlett Clode, The Chamber of Commerce Award for Vocational Education - Jessica Potter, The Archway Bookshop Award for Health and Social Care - Sophie Reeve, The Kevin Moran Cup for Contribution to Sport - Zoe Braunton-Turner, TAVCC Award for Achievement in BTEC Sport - Erica Adams, TAVCC Award for Progress in BTEC Sport - Zoe Braunton-Turner, The Swire Cup for Performance in Sixth Form - Annabelle Jackson, Governors Award for Year 13 - Simon Holland.



■ PROUD AS PUNCH: Headteacher Martin Smith (left) and last year's head of Year 11 Ian Hunt with members of the Year 11 group



■ WINNERS: Current head of sixth form Rupert Carr (left) and headteacher Martin Smith on stage with the winning sixth formers



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# Felled tree was not diseased, says developer

A FELLED tree wasn't diseased after all, according to housing developer Bovis Homes.

As reported last week, a tree outside the Bovis Homes Cloakham Lawn showhome in Chard Road was felled.

Many people wondered why, some suggesting it was taken down simply to offer a clearer view of the showhome.

Devon County Council, on whose land the tree was, said it suffered from Dutch Elm Disease

But Bovis Homes has since offered another ex-

A spokesperson for the company said: ""The elm tree has been coppiced and seven branches of another tree have been cut back to prevent damage during the construction of the approved cycleway and footway,



■ WORK in the Chard Road tree as reported in last week's *Pulman's View* 

and also the installation of the new water connection into the development.

"The elm has been coppiced in the past and this is a rotational management process allowing trees to regenerate.

"The work at Cloakham Lawn has been done in full consultation with East Devon District Council and Devon County Council (the trees are located on county council land) and

was certainly not undertaken to improve the views of our recently opened three-bedroom show home.

"Protecting and enhancing the environment at Cloakham Lawn is a key part of delivering our new homes there, with ecological specialists introducing a number of features to the development such as habitat boxes for bats and birds, including specially modified ones for

# Back in the 'real world' again after revolutionary eye implant

AN Axminster man is one of the first people in the world to have a revolutionary eye lens implant.

Retired property developer and keen gardener Ronald Cooper lost sight of his garden because of rapidly failing eyesight - but has rediscovered his flowers thanks to the procedure.

Ronald, aged 90, was dismayed to be diagnosed with progressive eye condition Age-related Macular Degeneration (AMD), which eventually leads to loss of sight. Surgery for AMD was rarely offered because of the risks involved.

But the situation changed when Bobby Qureshi, chief medical officer and founder of the London Eye Hospital Pharma joined forces with professor Pablo Artal – the first-ever European winner of the prestigious Edward H Land Award for scientific contributions to the advancement of visual optics.

Together they came up with a low-risk, simple procedure and what is known as the iolAMD lens.

Ronald, who is married with three children, said: "I first noticed my vision deteriorating about ten years ago, and was diagnosed with AMD.

"At the time it was suggested that I should register as partially sighted, which I didn't feel ready to do. I could still, at that time, see to do most things.

"Two years ago, my vision had deteriorated to such an extent that I began to avoid social situations as I could never tell if someone was looking at me trying to get my attention.

"I found that very hard. I began having in-

# By Anders Larsson anders@tindlenews.co.uk

jections for the AMD, but they weren't making my vision better; they were perhaps, at most, stopping it from getting worse. "I have one and a half acres of garden and have always been an active gardener, but I found that although I could see the shapes of plants and flowers, I was unable to see their true beauty.

"My son found an article about London Eye Hospital but, me being a cynic, it took him some time to persuade me to contact them."

"I did eventually contact the London Eye Hospital and met with Bobby Qureshi, who suggested the iolAMD implant. I went ahead and had the operation, which was a very simple and quick procedure.

"I have now had both eyes done, and my vision just keeps improving. I can finally enjoy my garden again; I can see the small birds, the details in flowers, and the sun shining through the branches of my 100-foot tulip tree.

"Better than that, I have two demonstrably affectionate grandchildren, aged four and seven, whose faces I see at close quarters; the smile on their faces and the sparkle in their eyes. I now feel I am again living in the same world as everybody else."

Mr Qureshi said: "Ronald overcame his reluctance and made an appointment to see us, and we are delighted that he did.

"It transpired that he was the perfect candidate for the iolAMD lens, and we are incredibly pleased that the implants have improved his life and helped him get back to his former self, and back to his garden.

"The implant is a giant leap in optical technology, and it is immeasurably satisfying to have had a role in creating a solution which will benefit such a wide range of people for whom, at the moment, there is no treatment."

Ronald (pictured below) concluded: "I am delighted to have got the benefit I have from the implants; my day-to-day visual ability has improved greatly.

"At times, I have been astonished at the things I can do which I was unable to do before, for example reading the writing on packets etc.

"I am so much more aware of what is going on around me, and my quality of life has improved hugely."

The implant is a mini-version of the telescope and involves inserting two tiny lenses into the eye 2mm apart.

It is expected to help more than 600,000 sufferers of age-related macular degeneration in the UK alone.



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# Lions to takeover town hall with models and choir

SEATON and District Lions Club are putting on a day of events at the Gateway in Seaton on October 4th.

From 10am to 4pm the model show will return – a must see for any model railway enthusiast with over 20 layouts on display, including static and boat lay-

The show will be opened by Michael Pritchard, the managing director of PECO, the UK's leading manufacturer of model railway accessories.

At 7pm the doors will be

# by Ian Barradale

opened for the annual visit of a Welsh choir to Seaton; this year sees the return of the Dowlais Male Choir from Merthyr Tydfil.

This world famous choir has over 50 members under the musical direction of Darya Brill-Williams.

The choir will perform 18 pieces during the evening varying from modern classics through to their catalogue of traditional Welsh Choir classics.

They will be joined on stage by Soprano Rebecca Southmore who, whilst living and working in London regularly performs with the Dowlais Choir.

Rebecca will be performing three selected items during the evening as well as joining the choir in the finale performance of the 'Holy City'.

Tickets for the model show are £2.50 (accompanied children free) and £10 for the Dowlais Male Choir. Both are available from the Gateway box office on 01297 625699.

# Town crier is county champion

Craner is now the undisputed Devon County Town Crying Champion for 2014-2105.

At a recent contest in Newton Abbot David, who refers to himself as 'Sir Walter Raleigh Re-incarnated', battled it out with 18 criers from the length and breadth of the country who together with their costumed escorts made a very colourful spectacle in the town.

The competition comprised two rounds, the first being a home town cry where the criers tell all about their towns and why others should visit.

David's cry finished with the verse: "And now I leave you with many good thoughts, About my town which cannot be beaten, So please pay a visit whenever you can, There's always a welcome in Seaton".

The second round was a free choice with cries on any subject of the criers choosing and which David chose to cry about growing old.

The criers are marked on various criteria such as sustained volume, clarity, diction and inflection.

Despite fierce competition, Mr Craner was awarded the title of Devon County Chamaway with trophies for first place in the best dressed Crier, and third place in the rounds.

David said: "I was proud to represent Seaton in a town crying competition.

"It was just my luck that I was drawn number one, the position least liked by most criers, but when the results came in I was completely dumbstruck,

"I could have cried with joy. Now I really am proud to be

part of the wonderful resort of Seaton."

Seaton's mayor, Councillor Gaynor Sedgwick, said: "I am so pleased that following the success of the town criers competition held in Seaton, David Craner went on to win the prestigious Devon County Champion competition in Newton Abbott.

"David is a great ambassador for Seaton and we are proud that he is considered to be the best town crier in Devon.'







# Tributes paid to D-Day veteran George

Hookings was given an emotional farewell at Congregational Church last week (September 22nd).

Mr Hookings, who had celebrated his 90th birthday last month and recently took part in the hugely successful World War I commemorations in Beer, died peacefully last week after being taken to the Royal Devon & Exeter Hospi-

His daughter, Sarah Leighton-Fry, said: "Dad wanted to make it to his 90th birthday and he was really pleased to do that. He lived a very full

Born and bred in Beer, Hookings went to the local primary school and then Colyton Grammar before enlisting into the British Army as a 16vear-old in 1940 which was two years under the minimum

Initially Hookings joined the Devon & Dorset Regiment but was transferred – along with several other men from the regiment - to the Black Watch after they suffered heavy losses fighting in North

# by Kevin Fahey

When recently interviewed by Pulman's View on the 70th anniversary of the D-Day Landings Hookings modestly recalled those momentous days in the nation's history.

"I was in the first boat on our beach but was I frightened? - not in the least," said George, who was just 19 at the time. didn't think "You

about it. You just did your job.

"Of course, being shot at and shelled made you aware of your own mortality and the awful things you saw stay with you throughout your life."

After the end of the war George returned to Beer and completed his teacher training at Exeter College and later worked as Headmaster at Neston Primary School, Wiltshire.

When his first wife Mary died, George moved back to the seaside village and married childhood sweetheart Madge who was in his class at school.

"My life had gone full circle and what a lucky

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life I had," explained George in that earlier interview

"I will never forget my war experience but it would have been nice just to have been a teacher all my life."

He spent some time in a care home before returning home to Beer as he moved in with his daughter and son-inlaw Matthew.

He leaves behind a second daughter, Jennifer Jones, four grandchildren and five great grandchildren.



■ The late George Hookings with his medals

# Council promise on pavement repair

A SEATON resident's attempts to have a pavement maintained appears to have had some suc-

Pulman's View recently reported that Sid Pember had drawn a blank in his attempts to have a stretch of pavement along Valley View seen to by Devon County Council (DCC).

Mr Pember said at the time: "I have noticed a vast deterioration of the surface on a section of pavement, approximately 50 metres in length, that lies between entrances to Seaton Primary School and the busy site that includes the doctors' surgery and Lloyd's chemist."

The county council said: "There are currently no defects present that would be classified as a safety hazard and necessitate immediate intervention."

The officer in question added that work will be carried out at some point, but could not say when. But Mr Pember has since received assurances that the problem will be dealt with within this financial year.

Seaton county councillor Jim

Knight has written to Mr Pember, telling him: "This is one of several sites awaiting repair and will be completed this financial year.

Mr Pember was relatively happy, and told Pulman's View: "I feel more confident after receiving this letter from councillor Jim Knight, and have thanked him for his involvement with the problem.

'The only concern is that we do not have a severe winter setting in before the surface has been repaired.'



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## **■ PULMAN'S VIEW LETTERS**

newspaper about the proposal to build two stainless steel waves at Fisherman's Gap in Seaton. I then read in the Midweek Herald that two further "hotspots" are proposed for Axmouth harbour and Seaton Hole.

Who comes up with these ideas and who authorises the expense of designers and planning applications? Why were the residents of Seaton not consulted? This is the first I have heard about the

The article by Anders Larsson suggests the public can comment on EDDC's website but it would have been helpful to have given the planning application number 14/1897. It took me several phone calls to EDDC before I was able to access the information on line.

I have to agree with councillors Val Christmas and Tony Woodman and strongly oppose this. Seaton has a beautiful panoramic coastal view and harbour. The Jurassic Centre is one thing but Seaton is not a theme park.

Our neighbouring more popular resorts look down their noses when you mention Seaton. I say it is a lovely place to live but could 'tacky' become a new description for the resort?

C. HARDING

# 'Seaton is not a theme park' Where will local patients be treated?

I HAVE been appalled at the news that, in effect, Ottery St Mary hospital might be closed.

It has been admitted that the proposed changes are unlikely to save money, the usual reason for closing down valuable Ottery facilities.

However, as no costs have been revealed, it is probable that the expenses of treating people in their own homes will be higher and that nurses, inevitably, will be less productive.

Furthermore, it cannot be assumed that all patients can be treated at home. The

Royal and Devon Exeter hospital has little or no spare capacity, so where will these unfortunate local residents be treated?

We are also told that we must adapt our health services to prepare for a demographic explosion.

We know that people are living longer but the fact that Ottery's population is expected to expand by a quarter in the near future, surely, suggests that there could be an increase in the demand for hospital beds in Ottery or are all the newcomers going to enjoy perfect heath?

When I see the word "uneconomic" in any report on health, I recoil.

If I ever need specialised care, am I supposed to want to go to a more distant hos-

pital, as that is more economic?

Am I alone in thinking that people who conjure up these reports can calculate costs, even if they don't reveal them, but they are ignorant on the value of what they are destroying?

> PHILIP ALGAR West Hill, Ottery St Mary

# 'Ridiculous sculptural concept

REMEMBERING the last farce over a Seaton sea front sculpture, I am left wondering what the metallic waves will bring through Fisherman's Gap.

It could hardly be called a "gateway to the town", unless fronting at least a mooring pier and the simplistic wording on them is hardly worth a gateway state-

At least we have two councillors who have a grasp of the power of the sea and

doubtless the corrosive effects of salt

This is a ridiculous sculptural concept that only has one positive thing going for it... the hawk-like wave tips may do a better job of scaring off the seagulls than the hawk that pops along from time to time to sit on a lamp post by The Hook

TONY HILL (by email)

# tters from surrounding parishes are just as important

I REFER to the headlines in last weeks View from Honiton and would like to respond as an individual town councillor.

Honiton Town Councillors are elected or co-opted to represent electors. We all receive letters from electors who lobby us with strong views. It is a key role of councillors to listen to people with views other than our own in order to inform our decision making.

Councillor Taylor, who lives in Feniton, complains about having letters from a resident of Buckerell. We need to recognise that Honiton serves a large rural area and although those living out of town do not pay Honiton Community Charge, they depend on the services that the town provides and deserve

Letters to councillors and the attendance at council meetings of Honiton residents and those from surrounding parishes should be welcomed and not complained about.

> COUNCILLOR VERNON WHITLOCK

# Fisherman's Gap plans 'a waste of money'

WITH regards to Fisherman's Gap proposal: a complete and utter load of rubbish and waste of money.

We've had statues on the centre of the roundabout, until people caused such anuproar and got it removed.

Over the years our town has been ruined with so many goes at regeneration. Beer has much more going for it, as tiny as it is.

In the past we had Marine weeks with

Newfoundland dogs doing their stuff. wonderful, and raft races on the sea. All we have now are cars on the front year after year.

The only time you are aware of carnival week is when the hard working people put on a show with their floats and these days there are so many rules it's quite hard for them.

M. BOWERS, Seaton

# Concerns over plans for overspill car park

AS a concerned citizen of Seaton I wish to draw to the attention of your readers the intension of East Devon Council to build a £300k 70 space "overspill" car park to serve the Jurassic Coast Visitors Centre

In principle I agree with the possible need for an overspill car park to serve the centre, but I have some concerns. One being the location on "amenity land" and if the car park was to be built three fine specimens of poplar

trees, which greet anybody entering Seaton would be sawn down. Surely the poplars could be incorporated into the proposed scheme?

E BOWMAN Marsh Road Seaton

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# Tesco should be ashamed

RE: Tesco stores refused licence for gaming machines, September 9th issue.

In my opinion Tesco stores should be utterly ashamed of themselves for even contemplating the installation of gaming machines in their staff canteens.

Are Tesco now so short of a penny that they have to try to snatch some back from their staff while they eat heir lunch'

Tesco should also keep in mind that they employ quite a lot of teenagers on a part-time basis at weekends and during the school holidays. Surely Tesco

should have a duty of care to these young employees and not be putting the temptation of gambling under their noses. One cannot expect the suppliers of these machines to have

a conscience; they are, after all, in the business of making money from people's weakness and addiction to gambling.

Tesco of course is also in business and looking to make money where it can, but to bring in gaming machines for their staff canteens is sinking to the lowest level.

M Westlake Beer

Tytherleigh

# Make your voice heard

ON behalf of the GP's in Seaton we would like to encourage as many people as possible to contribute to the public consultation on the future of the community hospitals and community services in East Devon.

NEW Devon CCG are holding a public consultation on Tuesday, September 23rd in Seaton Town Hall at which you can hear what is being

proposed, ask questions and contribute to the discussion.

The decisions being made over the next few months will affect everyone in East Devon for years to come so now is the time to make your opinions heard.

Dr Rob Daniels, GP Townsend House Medical Centre Seaton

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# Thanks, but no thanks!

I NOTE with some dismay the front page report (View September 16th) regarding the proposed "Waves" Hotspot at Fisherman's Gap in Seaton, which seems to me to be an entirely inappropriate structure given its design and location.

My family have lived in Seaton for over 40 years so I know the town well from the early 1970s, when we had a holiday camp instead of an unwanted supermarket. In all that time I have never seen anyone that seems to truly represent the wishes of Seaton residents. Certainly in my experience the town council never has, and the EDDC have a long held dislike of Seaton, because we are

an outfit once called "Stand Up For Seaton" (SU4S) which seems to have disappeared.

As Councillor Tony Woodman quite rightly pointed out "This isn't Disneyland, this is Seaton". Moreover we are part of the Jurassic Coast, a famous World Heritage Site, and to demean its status in this way is quite unacceptable. The sculptress may well feel that her creation sends a message, but our message back is thanks, but no thanks!

Christopher Stephens Highcliffe Close Seaton

# Hurrah, dogs can now go on the beach!

WHAT a joyless letter from M Bowers. The people with dogs had, God forbid, cool boxes and bags of picnic food – how extraordinary.

When you read of the real horrors that are happening on this planet, I can't help but sigh when we get constant whingeing about little things in our local papers.

On a more happy note, those of us locals who have spent all summer walking on the pavement with our dogs to get to the harbour can now walk on the beach or the esplanade. Hurrah.

Margie Blackmore Harepath Road, Seaton



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The couple set their hearts on the business earlier this year when Steve revealed his plans to retire, and the new owners hope to bring some fresh ideas to the long-established shop.

Marie was employed at the print shop a few years ago, and after a spell working as a designer for a local newspaper, she said returning to the business was like coming

She said: "Terry and I are very excited about taking on this new challenge and are looking forward to many more successful years ahead for Steves Print.

"We are not looking to make any major changes as Steve has built up a very good, well-established reputa-

"But we are hoping to bring some fresh ideas to the table; to breathe a new lease of life into the business

The husband and wife team will continue to be supported by experienced designer Julie Malone who has been with the company for six years and the trio intend to make sure that three is the magic number.

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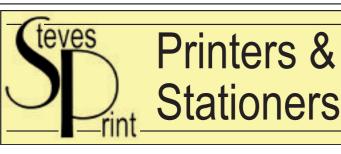












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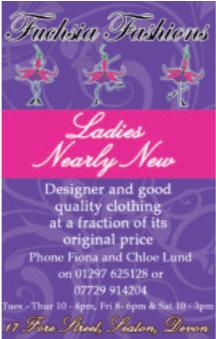
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# Colyford Goose Favre Saturday 27th September 2014

OR one day every year the village of Colyford steps back to medieval times, everybody dresses up in the fashions of the Middle Ages and hundreds of people travel from miles around to come to look at what on Earth is going on.

It is like a scene out of Chaucer. There's archery and falconry and shows of thatching and bodging [that's woodturning using green, unseasoned wood]. Medieval music played on traditional instruments echoes through the lanes and the locals gather to perform a humorous Mummers Play.

And just like it would be here several hundred years ago, stalls sell honey, pottery, leather goods and beer and queue for the ram-roast.

What is it? It's the Colyford Goose Fayre, a fine revival of old England and the continuing of a tradition that goes all the way back to 1208.

It was then that King John granted Colyford a charter to hold a goose fair, originally a market for selling livestock which developed into a day or so of merry-making.

Goose fairs are always held in the autumn. In Colyford, the fayre is traditionally staged on the last Saturday closest to Michaelmas – September 27th this year, as Michaelmas falls on September 29th.

Why September? The breeding season for geese is February to March, meaning that by September the young geese were at their prime and ready to be got to market. There being no tram in Pliny's or King John's day, the poulters would simply walk them to the fair.

This was no easy task. Besides the fact that there could be many geese to walk on – at one Nottingham fair, 20,000 geese were recorded strolling into the city - in medieval times a goose fair could be leagues away, records of the time show that geese were frequently walked from Norfolk to London, a sore-making foot trip of more than 80 miles.

For the poor old goose, such a long march was hard on the feet and many would become injured. So they made them shoes, little tar shoes. I am not making this up. The poulters would 'shoe a goose' by driving them through tar and then sawdust, providing a protective layer or 'shoe' for the long walk.

Of course, the tar would wear off if the geese had far to go – hence the expression 'you can't shoe a goose', meaning

a futile exercise. However, in Ilchester in Somerset in the Middle Ages there were goose cobblers [I'm not making this up either] who more kindly made little leather goose slippers to make the hike more bearable.

Fortunately, in these kinder days the geese at the Colyford Goose Fayre don't have far to come and tend to be carried in a old cart that forms part of the procession which traditionally parades through the village at 2pm, shortly before the Mayor opens the Fayre.

Last year the Fayre was rained off by atrocious weather, so watch the skies. But with a spot of luck all will be fine this year for visitors to enjoy the goose-step back in time.

Seaton Tramway will be putting on additional trams to Colyford during the afternoon so visitors can arrive in style.

For details of the Fayre, visit the website at www.colyfordvillage.co.uk

ALL the fun of a Medieval Fayre and during the afternoon there will be various demonstrations of traditional Country Crafts such as Beekeeping, Spinning, Hurdle Making, Armoury, Falconry, Wood Turning and Archery.

As you wander along with the strolling players and the Woodroffe Early Music Group, test your Circus Skills, try your hand at Skittling, ride the Quintain or just fight it out on the Greasy Pole. Along from the Forge and Cider Press you will find a variety of farm animals and look out for Sutton House Living History and their Fighting Knights.

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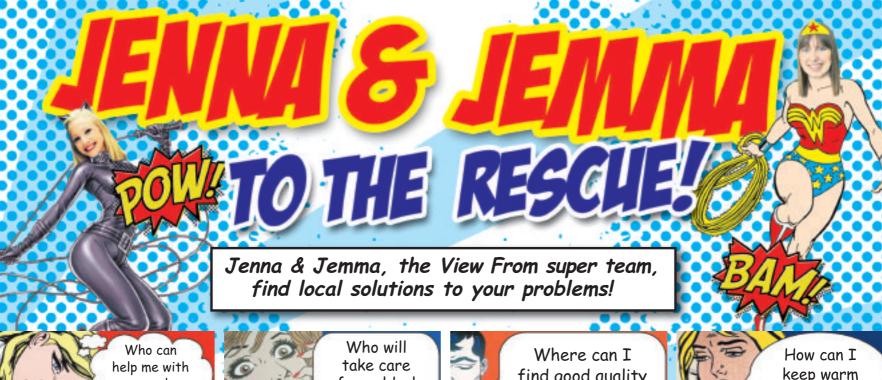
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JACK WARD is a man with many irons in the fire. He is a full-time student, works at Flamingo Pool in Axminster and he also performs as a magician. In addition, he is this week's 60 seconds guest.

WHERE were you born and where did you grow up? I was born in Exeter in 1994 and spent the first eight years of my life living in

Axminster's Woodbury Park and Foxhill. Since then my family and I moved to Chardstock and have been here



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#### WHERE and what do you study?

I am about to start my second year of a foundation degree in sports development and coaching at the small university center in Yeovil. This has enabled me to still live locally and keep all my various jobs on the go!

HOW long have you worked at Flamingo Pool, and what do you do there?

I've been at the pool for roughly three and a half years now. I started just as a lifeguard when I was 16 but have since completed my level 1 and 2 qualifications in swim teaching, which has let me teach private and group swimming lessons as well as teaching the rookie lifequard program with some other colleagues.

Recently I have also been given some duty management

WHAT do you enjoy about magic?

I started to take magic seriously when I was 14. My Dad and I decided to buy a set that came all the way from America and since then I've been hooked. At the age of 16 I created my first load of business cards and I began being hired out for a variety of events such as weddings, business and corporate events. This led to me using social media to help advertise myself as well as creating my own website.

Please visit www.jackwardmagic.co.uk for more information

#### WHAT prompted you to become a magician?

At first it began as just a hobby and gave me something to do. However, due to my location, it gave me something to work on and keep me occupied. The more I practiced it got to the point where I wanted to see if I could get a reaction from people that weren't in my family. Thankfully it

received bookings since. I still remember my first ever booking at Axminster Primary School for my old

paid off and I

headteacher's surprise birthday party. I think what still interests me most is the fact that every single person reacts differ-

Looking back, my magic has helped me to develop and become more confident in myself, which I am very grateful for.

#### WHERE do you see yourself in 10 vears' time?

In 10 years' time I would like to think that I still live locally, my sensible job option would be becoming a sports teacher or to be in the leisure industry. However, in the unlikely event my magic takes off, my dream job would be doing that full time.

#### WHICH is your favourite holiday destination?

My favourite holiday destination would have to be Florida. I was lucky enough to go there this year with my girlfriend Jenna

and her family. It was two weeks of sun, water parks and roller coasters, which is my kind of holiday. It was very full on but something that I will never forget!

#### WHAT'S your favourite food?

I'm more than happy to eat anything as long as it's not sweetcorn from a tin. Choosing a favorite meal is difficult because there's too much to choose from, definitely all the classics, though, like ham egg and chips or a good old steak.

## WHAT makes you happy?

The simple things in life make me happy, such as spending time with my family and friends, or just going on a good day out.

## WHAT makes you angry?

It takes a lot to get me angry, but I think the thing that annoys me most is people who don't realise how lucky they actually are when, in the grand scheme of things, there's more in life to worry about.

#### IF vou won an absurd amount of money, how would you spend it?

The first thing on my list would be to buy a lovely big house. I would also take all my family on a massive holiday and treat each of them to something nice.

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very glad to return to their former venue at the church centre, now that refurbishment is complete. This they were able to do on Saturday, for the Freedom Café, followed by 3.2.1.for Jesus. Look out for future dates, and visitors are always wel-

ST Gregory's Parish Church, Seaton, have been

Sunday, September 21st at the Parish Church, Dunkeswell, was the venue for the Service of Thanksgiving for the Battle of Britain 1940 attended by representatives of the RAFA and the ATC with a donation from the collection given to the RAFA Wings Appeal.

After a very successful Flower Festival Ottery Parish church is having a church open morning on September 27th from 10am-1pm. Go to see the parts that you cannot usually visit: the bells, clock, roof and minstrels' gallery as well as the rest of this wonderful building. Harvest is on September 28th with the main service at 10.30am and a Songs of Praise at 6.30pm. It will also be a special Gift Day when people can review their giving both of what they put in the plate and in what they offer in other ways of helping in the life of the parish. Harvest gifts in kind will go to local charities.

Thursday, September sees the regular Colyton Leisure Lunches at the Sunday School Building at 12.30pm, bookings are required: £5.50 details

Then on September 28th at St Gregory's Church Seaton, at 10.30am the Reverend Philip Butcher assistant curate at Honiton St Pauls will be ordained priest by our new Bishop Robert of Exeter lunch follows the service.

The Reverend Philip's first Eucharist at St Paul's will be at 6.30pm on September 30th, with refreshments afterwards.

Other dates to come include the annual Colyford Goose Fayre service at 6.30pm on Suday, Septem-

The Revd Simon Holiday will be licensed as Priest in Charge at the Five Alive Mission Community on September 29th at Stockland Church at 7.30pm. His previous appointment was at Aya

# Pulman's View

## With NIGEL SPELLER

Napa Cyprus where he was Chaplain to the British

Colyton Harvest follows on Sunday, October 5th at 11am and Noah's Ark events resume under their new leader Kathryn Radley whom we welcome and will be providing help both at Holyford Mission Community churches and at Beer Church, in the future.

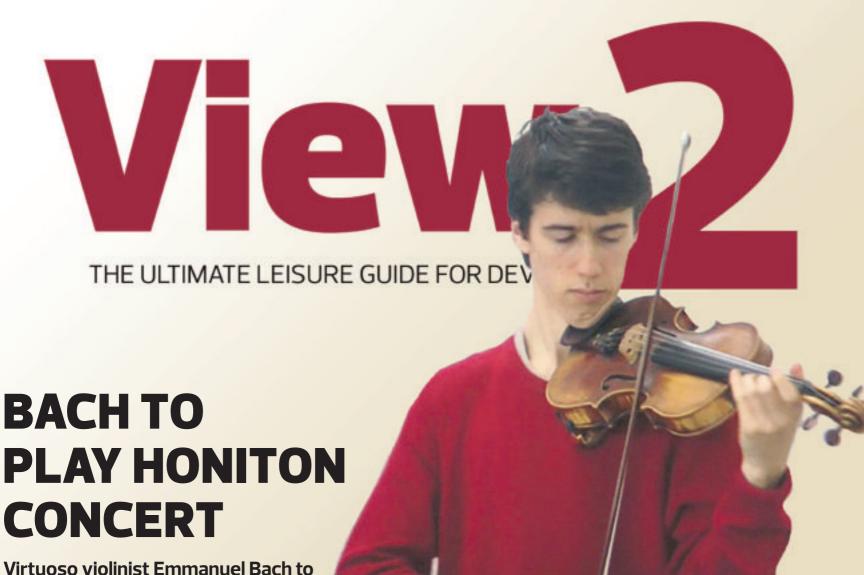
Help is still needed by fellow Christian overseas and others and one sure destination is the Foundation for Relief & Reconciliation in the Middle East lead by Canon Andrew White, with a church at Bagdad - their website is www.frrme.org and can accept donations, and there are further routes.

The Pope has broken Catholic traditions to perform wedding ceremonies for those who have been married before which is s sign of the openness of his papacy. This comes three weeks before a synod of the Catholic Church is to discuss marriage, divorce, and conception. The church ban on divorcees who have remarried having communion is also topic for debate.

Lambeth Palace London is to be home to a new religious community of people aged between 20 and 25, which will be known as the Community of St Anselm. More details have been published in the Church in England Newspaper. The Community is due to be launched in September 2015 and will consist of 15 full time members with a further 40 people who live and work in London joining part time. A website is being set up asking for vol-

Archbishop Welby has made encouragement of the religious life one of his objective since arriving at Canterbury,

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Virtuoso violinist Emmanuel Bach to play with ISCA Ensemble for special Joanna Leach Foundation concert

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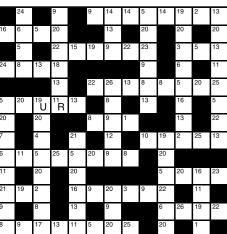
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# Codeword

Each number in the grid represents a different letter of the alphabet and every letter of the alphabet is used. Use the given letter(s) to the right of the main grid to start you off.



LAST WEEK'S SOLUTION:												
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# **Double Crossword**

Choose either quick or cryptic clues - both fit the same grid

## **Cryptic Clues:**

#### Across

- 1. Request written with certain enjoyment (8)
- 5. Dance all round?
- 9. Of concern to the listener (4)
- 10. Such people want knowledge - then may not want it! (8)
- 11. One way to go right
- out East (5) 12. Sort of tactile
- network (7) 13. Capital parents, but they produce
- strains (5,8) 18. Taken ill (8)
- 19. The fools pop back on board (4)
- 20. Left before the end to give a warning
- 21. Emotional shocks
- of revolutions (5) 22. Dancers may enjoy
- a quick one (4) 23. Advances or returns (8)

- 2. Admits or just the opposite (4,3)
- 3. He's austere and sour about one point (7)
- 4. He takes each issue at it comes (7.6)
- 6. It makes a man keen on money, and a woman on food
- 7. Landlords who are characters? (7)
- 8. Hate arises from a hotel mix-up (6)
- 13. Voyage to the East on board shipping lines (7)
- 14. Verbose sort of notice (7)
- 15. A dog's home (6)
- 16. Argue about being nut in the wrong side (7)
- 17. Was discontented about a tree put in the shade (7)

# 18

## **Quick Clues:**

#### Across

- 1. Choosing (8)
- 5. Deeds (4)
- 9. Consumer (4)
- 10. Filter (8)
- 11. Vacillate (5)
- 12. Presage (7) 13. Great Britain and
- Northern Ireland (6,7) 18. Edifice (8)
- 19. Detail (4)
- 20. Stir (7)
- 21. Wander (5) 22. Lustreless (4)

23. Miscellaneous (8)

- 13. Rebuke (7)

Down

2. Scorn (7)

6. Strive (7)

7. Slavery (7)

3. Faultless (7)

4. Candour (13)

- 8. Infertile (6)
- 14. Beginning (7) 15. Cause to love (6)
- 16. Sparkle (7)
- 17. Work (7)

## Sudoku



Fill in the grid below so that every column every row and each of the 3x3 boxes contains all the digits

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LAST WEEK'S CROSSWORD SOLUTIONS: CRYPTIC - Across: 1 Alcove; 4 Teasel; 9 Speech therapy; 10 Interim; 11 Alder; 12 Extra; 14 Chord; 18 Cramp; 19 Atrophy; 21 Indisposi-tion; 22 Target; 23 Repeal. Down: 1 Assail; 2 Chest expander; 3 Vicar; 5 Eye-wash; 6 Standard price; 7 Layers; 8 Stump; 13 Riposte; 15 Script; 16 Baton; 17 Hymnal; 20 Raise; 0UICK - Across: 1 Tattle; 4 Rescue; 9 Taking a chance; 10 Honeyed; 11 Curve; 12 Prise; 14 Alive: 18 Paste: 19 At first; 21 Consternation: Alive: 18 Paste: 19 At first: 21 Consternation: 22 Dormer; 23 Grille. Down: 1 Tetchy; 2 Taken prisoner; 3 Lanky; 5 Ethical; 6 Controversial; 7 Eyelet; 8 Handy; 13 Sheathe; 15 Spiced; 16 Marry; 17 Stance; 20 Flair.

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FROM Charmouth Primary School to a promising future in Opera - 22 Year old Chloe Stratta will sing the role of the shepherd who heralds the coming of the fatal dawn in Act 3, with the English Opera Ensemble in the forthcoming production of TOSCA, which is being produced by STAG (Shute Theatre and Arts Guild) in Kilmington Church next month. The young soprano will be singing and supporting a dazzling cast of professional singers including Anna Gregory, Dominic Barrand and Michael Bracegirdle, opera stars who's past performances have graced the stages of the Royal Opera House and the Royal Festival

Chloe graduated from the University of Manchester in July 2013 with a first class bachelor of music degree. She currently studies as a soprano under Ryland Davies and Deborah Rees. During her time in Manchester, Chloe was involved in many concerts as member of the University Chorus, and the University's prestigious chamber choir, with whom she toured to Milan. In July 2014, Chloe sung in the Dorset Opera Chorus for their 40th anniversary productions of Verdi's Aida and Beethoven's Fidelio. Her solo concert work includes Fauré's Requiem, in Exeter Cathedral. Havdn's Creation Mass with Lyme Bay Chorale, and Haydn's Mass in the Time of War, with Sidmouth Choral society, as well as recital work. She looks forward to returning to sing for these groups this Autumn. Chloe grew up in Lyme Regis, and attended Colyton Grammar School, singing in the school choir and chamber choir, directed by David House. She received singing lessons from Brian Manners.

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Julie Dunn to play Jazz In The Bar

Vocalist Julie Dunn has r<mark>eleased three CDs, play-</mark> ing alongside Alec Dankworth, Tony Coe and John Horler. Now she returns to the intimate setting of the Stage Door Bar in this ever popular series of sell-out events. Julie will be singing a variety of well loved jazz tunes, influenced by the great jazz singers such as Ella Fitzgerald and Sarah Vaughan, as well as some of her own compositions. She will be accompanied by Philip Clouts at the piano, and will also be singing some tunes of his to which she has specially added her Julie Dunn will perform a Jazz In The Bar

evening at the Marine Theatre, Lyme Regis, this riday, September 26th, accompanied by Philip Clouts on piano. £6.50

Tickets are (www.marinetheatre.com or 01297 442138) or £7.50 on the door, and doors open 7pm.

# Honiton Festival's winter concert series to begin this Friday

THE Honiton Festival's new winter series of lunchtime recitals starts on Friday, September 26th at 1pm in St. Paul's Church, featuring Korean and Estonian artists Soh-Yon Kim (violin) and Maksim Stsura (piano) playing works by Brahms, Ravel and Kreisler.

Completing their studies at the Royal College of Music in London, both prize winners have per-

formed extensively here and abroad as soloists and in chamber groups. Honiton will be giving these leading musicians a very warm welcome.

Lunch will be available in the Narthex of the church from noon.

Full details are available at www.thehonitonfestival.co.uk and tickets are from Honiton TIC -01404 43716 and on the door.

# Seaton's first 'Kitchen Concert'

A NEW concept for presenting musical events has come to Seaton, the Kitchen Concert.

Peter Arnold, who has just given up running Jurassic Folk after more than seven years, explains: "House concerts are a well established way of entertaining a small, select audience - in fact in Victorian times they were just about the only way that country gentry and their friends could enjoy live music, and the musical soirée was a high note in their diaries. Nowadays they are particularly prevalent on the continent,' continues Peter, "ours is an innovation, because rather than in a reception room, it will take place in the kitchen, and so we call it a Kitchen Con-

Peter and his wife Hilary, in whose domain the kitchen firmly resides, are very thrilled to have been able to book for this first evening one of the country's funniest musical artists, Fake

In the guise of Fake Thackray, John Watterson presents the rise, demise and songs of the late, great, Jake Thackray. Jake's songs are exquisitely funny, satirical, incisive, irreverent, witty and gloriously un-PC - and sometimes all of these at the same time. Jake was a one off; his poetry broke the rules yet worked beautifully. He was a true craftsman of the English language, and his legacy of scores of wonderful songs continues to entertain and delight audiences of all ages today.

Spaces are limited, and there are only a limited number of places left. Tickets are £20 - to book call Peter or Hilary on 01297 20064. Easy parking, free nibbles and soft drinks are available (bring your own choice of alcohol, glasses provided)

The first kitchen concert takes place on Saturday, September 27th at 7.45pm.

# Beehive's first Art Exhibition is open now

# Absent Abbey 1201 – 1549 will run until October 17th at the Honiton venue

THE Beehive in Honiton launched its first Art Exhibition on Monday, September 8th.

"Absent Abbey 1201 - 1549" Is a selection of works by seven local artists who spent two years studying the historical records and physical remains of nearby Dunkeswell Abbey.

Each artist chose their own approach, and the result is a fascinating assembly of work which tells both personal and historical stories. These stories include the architecture and building of the Abbey and the journeys taken by the first monks as they headed for Dunkeswell from Forde

Abbey along ancient track ways. Further tales are told of plants and herbs associated with the Abbev and tracing the descendants of the Nor an founders family to the present day. A general theme is an attempt to imagine what life would have been like as a monk in those far-off times.

The artists belong to the Radicle Group which is based at the studio of Camilla Nock RWA, in the Blackdown Hills. The main body of work is concerned with the natural and man-made landscapes in the area.

These are interpreted in contemporary and imaginative ways with the

◆ RADICLE Group artists Derek Farndon and David Neal at the exhibition Photo by Vernon Whitlock

group working on common themes together and with individual work.

The Exhibition continues until Oc-

tober 17th. Admission is free and everyone is most welcome to wander in for a look around.



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#### **BIRTHDAY GIRLS - Party Vibes (18)** Sat 27th Sept 8.30pm Tickets £8

Hot foot from their five star reviews and sell out run in Edinburgh these girls are coming to Party in Honiton. A totally bonkers comedy show, expect try hard dancing, fast paced frolics and a lot of laughs.

Exuberantly silly, consistently imaginative and delightfully playful The Guardian



Joanna Leach Foundation Concert with Emmanuel Bach (Violin) & The Isca Ensemble **MD Roger Hendy** 

Sat. 4th Oct 7.30pm Tickets £12.50

Humperdinck: Overture 'Hänsel and Gretel' Brahms: Violin Concerto in D major Op. 77 Dvorak: Symphony No 9 'From the New World' in E minor Op. 95



For event details visit

www.beehivehoniton.co.uk

Beehive box office 01404 384050

# Joanna Leach Foundation Concert The Beehive Honiton

Saturday 4th. October 2014 at 7.30 p.m.

# ISCA ENSEMBLE SOUTH WEST



Emmanuel Bach - violin

Roger Hendy - Musical Director Antony Clements - leader



Humperdinck: Overture 'Hänsel and Gretel' Brahms: Violin Concerto in D major Op. 77 Dvorak: Symphony No 9 'From the New World' Tickets £12.50 available in advance from The Beehive, Dowell Street, Honiton EX14 1LZ 01404 384050 boxoffice@beehivehoniton.co.uk For further details visit www.iscaensemble.org.uk

# Orchestral Concert in the Joanna Leach Hall at the Beehive Honiton

The 60 players of Roger Hendy's ISCA Ensemble will be gathering for their first concert at the Beehive on the 4th October at 7.30pm

The concert has been organised in association with the Joanna Leach Foundation and is being given in memory of Liz Tirard the Foundation's dynamic Company Secretary and Honiton Town Councillor who died in January this year.

The programme of popular works includes Dvorak's 'New World' Symphony and the challenging **Brahms Violin Concerto in D** major, to be played by the young virtuoso violinist, Emmanuel Bach.

Emmanuel, after playing many charitable engagements and recently completing his university degree - a double first in music - is now embarking upon a soloist career; his first professional engagement with the ISCA Ensemble.

Says Roger Hendy: "I had been introduced to Emmanuel's playing and had been impressed on hearing a recording. But when I heard him play at a JL Foundation recital where he was most ably accompanied by Jenny Stern, I was literally 'blown away' by his musical commitment, presence

and the virtuosic performance of some extremely difficult pieces".

Mike Beville (trustee of the JLF):

"It was Liz, being a friend of Roger's, who made the connection and it seemed to be so appropriate to support the orchestra by covering the soloist's fee. Our trustees are very impressed by the work Roger and his orchestral players do to keep classical

music alive in the area. In keeping with our aim of encouraging professionals to work with amateurs, we have offered to fund a soloist each year to play with the orchestra".

### **Emmanuel Bach**

Emmanuel began the violin at the age of five and is currently studying with Natasha Boyarsky. He has performed in Britain as both a soloist and chamber musician in venues including the Leeds International Concert Series, the Wigmore Hall (for which he was kindly loaned a 1711 Gobetti violin by Peter Biddulph), and St John's Smith Square, and has also given concerts in France and Italy. Emmanuel recently toured South Africa, where he gave solo recitals and played Bruch's Scottish Fantasy at multiple venues with

the Pretoria University Orchestra

under Eric Rycroft. His performances of this work at the 2011 National Arts Festival in Oudtshoorn led to him being nominated for the Upcoming Artist Award. This year, he performed the Khatchaturian Violin Concerto with the Oxford Philomusica in the final of their concerto competition, in which he was runner-up.

Chamber music also forms a key part of Emmanuel's life and he has received coaching from members

of the Wihan, Elias, Skampa and Allegri Quartets. Emmanuel regularly gives recitals together with his mother, the pianist Jenny Stern, and is due to perform with her alongside the Tagore String Trio in a concert later this year.

#### The ISCA Ensemble

The Ensemble comprises experienced amateur and a few former professional players. Dr. Antony Clements is the leader of the Ensemble. He has worked with Roger for many years. Thanks to him and the players, the orchestra continues to receive much critical acclaim.

Saturday 4th October at 7.30pm Tickets £12.50 boxoffice@beehivehoniton.co.uk Telephone: 01404 384050



# **Diary Dates**

UPLYME: 'The Perfect Partnership: Lutyens and Jekyll' (names synonymous with the creation of the English Country Garden style) talk by Paul Atterbury (Antiques Roadshow) at Uplyme VIllage Hall. E3 entry. Tickets from Uplyme Post Office or ring 07831 533580. Organised by Uplyme and Lyme Regis Horticultural Society website: www.ulrhs.wordpress.com

COLYTON: Swing dance class – original partner swing dance from the 1940s, Reece Strawbridge Centre, Coly Rd, EX24 6PU. 7–8.30pm. £4.50 per class, no partner rqd, more info teachers@lvmebavlindv.com

OFFWELL: Whist Drive in the village hall, start 7.30pm, proceeds to ORG&VHC. Everyone wel-

#### **THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 25TH**

**COLYTON:** Colyton Parish History Society walk. 'Walking discovery of Colyton' – join our local guides for a walk around the Most Rebellious Town in Devon. Meet Thursday afternoons at 2pm from the town car park (regardless of weather). Minimum donation £2 per person (under 16s free). Booking not necessary.

#### FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 26TH

HAWKCHURCH: World's Biggest Coffee Morning in aid of Macmillan Cancer Support at Hawkchurch Village Hall, from 10am. Raffle, fancy goods, produce stall and a chance to win a holiday. For more details call 01297 678458.

AXMINSTER: Country/folk dancing in the Masonic hall, from 2-4pm. Évery Friday. Good fun & exercise. £2 per session. For more details call 01297

#### **SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 27TH**

**UPLYME:** Ballroom, Latin and Sequence Dancing at Uplyme Village Hall. 8–10.30pm. £4.50 per person in aid of Hall funds. For more details call 01297 442439.

Hawkchurch: Ladies Pamper & Shopping day at the Fairwater Head Hotel in Hawkchurch, 11.30am-4pm. Treatments, beauty products and lots of stalls. Free entrance and complimentary tea/coffee on arrival. Light lunches and afternoon cream teas available. Prize draw for a bottle of champagne. For stall enquiries contact Samantha on Reception - Tel: 01297 678349 or email info@fair waterheadhotel.co.uk for more information. **ALL SAINTS:** PTFA for All Saints Primary School

Jumble Sale at All Saints Village Hall, 11am-2pm. Teas and coffees also served, everyone welcome. **Dalwoop:** Tuckers Jazz Club with the Julie Dunn Trio at the Tuckers Arms, 8pm. Ticket £5 from

01404 831280, 01404 881601 and at the Door. Dalwood is just north of the A35 between Axminster & Honiton.

**SEATON:** Jumble Sale for the Seaton and Axmouth branch of Cancer Research UK at Seaton Town Hall. Entrance 30p, children under 14 free. Doors open at 10 a.m. until approximately 1 P.M. Books, Toys, Linens, Bric-a-brac, Raffle, coffee and cakes.

#### **SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 28TH**

**COLYFORD:** Indoo/Outdoor Boot Sale at Colyford Memorial Hall, from 9am–2pm. For more details call 01297 23591

#### **MONDAY SEPTEMBER 29TH**

AXMINSTER: Bingo at the Guildhall. Doors 7pm, eyes down 8pm

Been: Film Society at Steamers presents "Jersey Boys" cert.15, a Clint Eastwood film charting the formation of "The Four Seasons". Film 7.30pm General Public £5, Members £3.50. All welcome,

#### **WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 1ST**

SEATON: Seaton and District Men's Probus Club at St. Gregory's Church Hall, Colyford Road at 10.00am, when Selwyn Williams will be giving a talk on 'Local Wrecks'. New members are most welcome - for more information please call 01297 624374

BEER: Jurassic Jam at the Dolphin Hotel, 8pm-10.15pm. All musicians and spectators welcome Free admission. For more details call 01404 46451. **COLYTON:** Swing dance class – original partner swing dance from the 1940s, Reece Strawbridge Centre, Coly Rd, EX24 6PU. 7-8.30pm. £4.50 per class, no partner rqd, more info-teachers@lymebaylindy.com

KILMINGTON: Moviola screening of 'The Book Thief' (cert 12A). At the village hall (Whitford Rd), doors and bar (wine and soft drinks) open at 6.45pm Film start 7.15pm. Tickets £5 if purchased in advance from Hurfords Store (village store Whitford Rd), or £5.50 at the door. For more details con-

tact: 01297 32335 SEATON: Bounce & Rhyme at Seaton Library 9.30 Sining Sessions

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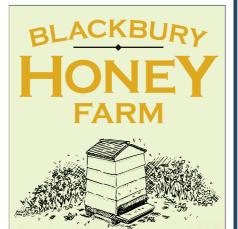
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#### THURSDAY OCTOBER 2ND

SEATON: Teatime Tales at Seaton Library 2.30 -4.30pm. Join us for teas, cake and some moodboosting stories and poems. Free drop in session

FRIDAY OCTOBER 3RD AXMINSTER: Country/folk dancing in the Masonic hall, from 2–4pm. Every Friday. Good fun & exercise. £2 per session. For more details call 01297 34326 SEATON: Christian Aid will be serving light Lunches

(soup etc) between 12 and 2pm in the United Reform Church, Cross Street, cost £3.50. Proceeds to Christian Aid. All welcome.

SATURDAY OCTOBER 4TH
COLYFORD: Jumble Sale at Colyford Memorial Hall, from 2-4pm. 20p entry. Level access, toilets, free

#### **SUNDAY OCTOBER 5TH**

OFFWELL: Jumble Sale at the village hall, 2.30pm. Loads of bric a brac, refreshments. organisted by Offwell Fund Raising Group, proceeds to ORG&VHC. Bargains and fun for everyone UPLYME: Uplyme and Lyme Regis Horticultural visit to the Yeo Valley Organic Gardens, near Blagdon, Somerset – a 6 1/2 acre fully organic

contemporary garden with veg garden, gravel garden, streamside and two meadow areas. This full day trip departs from Uplyme Village Hall at 9:30. price £15 for members, £18 for non-members. Phone 01297 444034 to book your place.

#### **MONDAY OCTOBER 6TH**

AXMINSTER: Bingo at the Guildhall. Doors 7pm, eves down 8pm.

AXMINSTER: Launch of Seed Library at Axminster Library at 11am with Will Livingstone of River Cottage HO. Tea and coffee will be served.

#### **WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 8TH**

COLYTON: Swing dance class – original partner swing dance from the 1940s, Reece Strawbridge Centre, Coly Rd, EX24 6PU. 7–8.30pm. £4.50 per class, no partner rad, more info teachers@lymebaylindy.com

SEATON: Axe Valley Heritage Association present an illustrated talk on the History of the Seaton Tramway by Gareth Richards at United Reformed Church Hall, Cross Street. 7.30pm to 9pm, doors open 7pm. Visitors welcome, tea/coffee and biscuits included. Members £2, visitors £3. Согутом: 'Wildlife in Lyme Bay' an illustrated talk to be presented by Dr Tom Brereton, (Research Director, MARINElife, Bridport) at 2.30pm in the Pavilion, Peace Memorial Playing Fields, Coly

Road, Colyton EX24 5PU. All welcome, DA Members £1non-members £3. Organised by the Devonshire Association (Axe Valley Branch), contact the Chairman, Dr David Westlake (01297 678529) for more information.

#### THURSDAY OCTOBER 9TH

**SEATON:** Teatime Taster: Family History at Seaton Library 2.30–4.30pm. Find out how to start researching your family tree using the Ancestry website. Free drop in session.

## **FRIDAY OCTOBER 10**TH

Axminster: Country/folk dancing in the Masonic hall, from 2-4pm. Every Friday. Good fun & exercise. £2 per session. For more details call 01297

## **SATURDAY OCTOBER 11TH**

UPLYME: Ballroom, Latin and Sequence Dancing at Uplyme Village Hall. 8–10.30pm. £4.50 per per-son in aid of Hall funds. For more details call 01297 442439.

**BEER:** Len Rawle MBE, one of the UK's top theatre organists, entertains on the Beer Wurlitzer Theatre Organ at the Congregational Church, Fore Street, Beer at 2.00pm. Admission is £7.00 at the door to include interval refreshments. 01297 24892, www.beerwurlitzer.org.uk

**UPLYME:** Uplyme and Lyme Regis Horticultural Society Autumn Show in Uplyme Village Hall. 2–4pm. Show schedules (80 classes this year) are available from Uplyme PO, Raymonds Hill Stores and Ginger Beer in Broad Street Lyme Regis.

## **SUNDAY OCTOBER 12TH**

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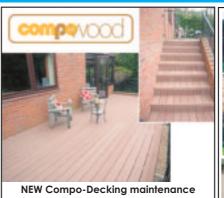


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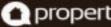
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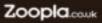
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Upper Churston Rise, Seaton SALE AGREED THIS MONTH

Asking Price - £350,000



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Asking Price - £275,000



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Asking Price - £180,000

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#### Norcombe Court, Seaton

- A well presented apartment
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   Energy Performance is D



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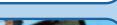
#### Gribble Mead, Colyton

- Mid terrace bungalow
- Peaceful, convenient location
- Two bedrooms
- Sealed unit double glazing
- Living room
  Fitted kitchen/dining room

- Good sized lawned garden with sun terrace Walking distance to the town

■ Gas fired central heating

- Ideal retirement purchas
- Energy Performance is D





#### Rose Cottages, Axmouth

- Attractive semi detached house
- Two bedrooms
- Living room and separate dining room
   Electric heating
- Sealed unit double glazing Well fitted kitchen
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#### COMBPYNE £350,000





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**COLYTON £159,950** 



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#### **COLYTON £299,950**



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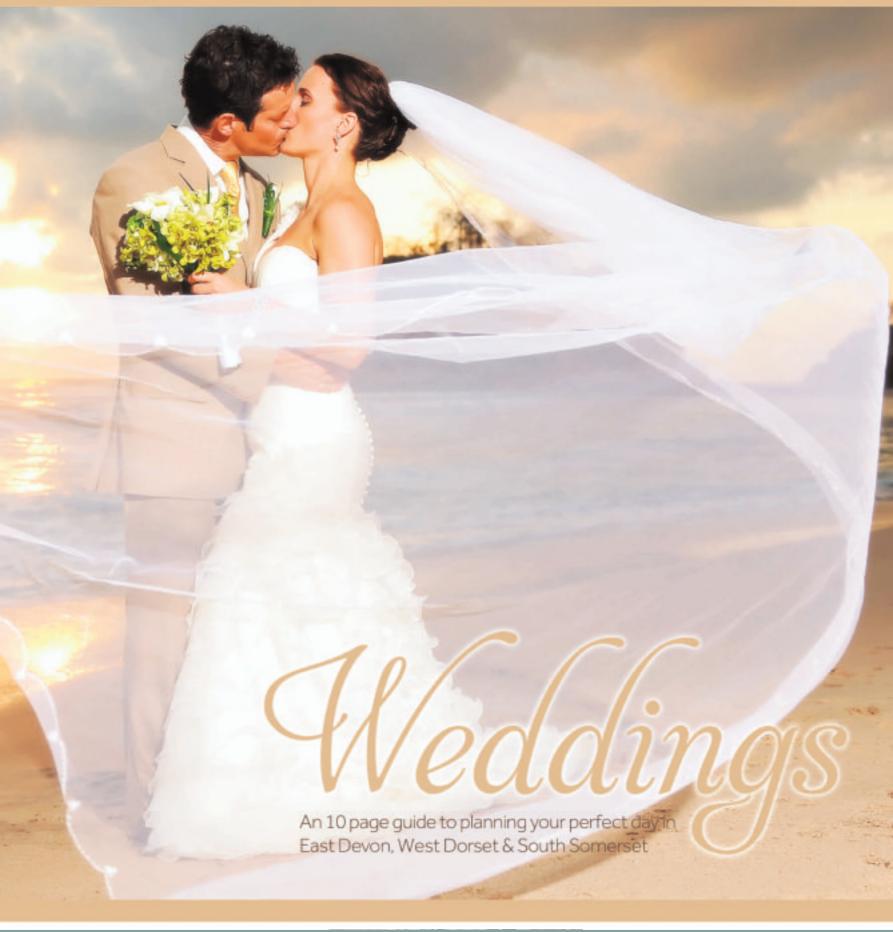
















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# A reception venue with a wonderful view of the Jurassic Coast



LYME Regis Golf Club can provide you with the most stunning of settings for your wedding reception. With some of the most incredible views of the Jurassic coast, professional service, outstanding dining, and all the class of a golf club, it's the perfect venue.

The Golf Club can cater for smaller, intimate groups, or larger parties with up to 120 guests for a traditional wedding breakfast, or 150 for a buffet. No matter what the size of your group, the in-house chefs would be delighted to advise you on your selection of menu choice, whatever your budget.

The Clubhouse Manager would also be delighted to assist you in the planning of your event to help you make your big day perfect. There's plenty of parking too, with space for over 100 vehicles, it's a rarity in itself for Lyme

Call into the clubhouse, or give us a call on 01297 442963 for more infor-



# Celebrate your Wedding at Lyme Regis Golf Club Lyme Regis Golf Club is an excellent venue for your wedding reception, with stunning views of the Jurassic Coast Catering We can cater for up to 150 people, and our in-house to advise on your selection of menu choice whatever your budget

# A very relaxed, elegant wedding with very, very good food

Hill for around 200 years and it is part of the fabric of the area. The Square and Compass is now a well-known hotel, renowned for excellent food. Owners, Chris and Janet Slow have been resident for 17+ years and in this time they have built up a reputation for very good food and drink. Run in a relaxed, informal manner, you can enjoy a drink, some food, or celebrate a special occasion in the

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Set in its own spacious gardens, the Barn is completely seperated from the Inn and Stables Hotel rooms and is a very popular venue for weddings. Full of rustic charm with heavy wooden tables, chairs and careful lighting, it is decorated with a rural theme and can hold up to 250 peo-

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The Barn's rustic appearance belies modern facilities. There is a dance area and stage with a powerful sound system and lighting set up. There is also a fully licensed bar, modern toilets and disabled access in all areas. The Barn has a civil license for weddings, with the large gardens surrounded by fields making a truly beautiful setting. We built the Barn using old-fashioned materials, specifically for weddings. We think it is the perfect venue for your

The Barn is a little more than 5 minutes from Junction 25 of the M5 at Taunton and likewise from the A303 at Ilminster. Although set in pleasant rural surroundings, it is easily accassible with full facilities available for business meetings, exhibitions

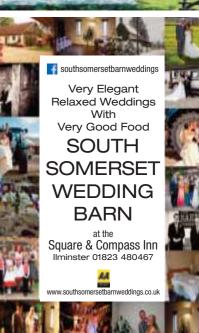
and corporate events. The speciality of our weddings is that the whole day revolves around an exceptionally good quality, generous meal in the afternoon, prepared and cooked by a team of highly professional chefs led by Janet, one of the owners. 'We find that if the



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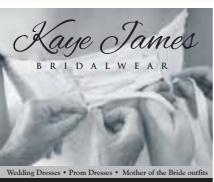
KAYE studied fashion design at S.C.A.T in Taunton for 5 years to gain her degree and the perfect base from which to start her career. She then left to work in a bridal shop until she had children, when she continued to sew at home. Kaye is now self employed and specialises in bridal wear and can make your ideas for your dream wedding dress come to life.

If you have a dress or outfit in mind she can sketch it for you, and you can work through ideas together, looking at a selection of fabrics including silk, satin, taffeta and many more to find what suits you, your personality, and figure, the best.

Kaye also does alterations, so if you already have your dress but it's not quite right, get in touch with Kaye and she will make sure it's perfectly fitted for you.

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# **Deer Park Country House Hotel**

WHAT ho! Welcome to the Deer Park Country House Hotel in Honiton. We specialise in fun, original, made-to-measure weddings.

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Influenced by the best of British, the Deer Park is the epitome of a quintessentially English Country House

We strive for excellence in everything we do, and love to lavish attention on all the little things that are oh-so-frequently overlooked.

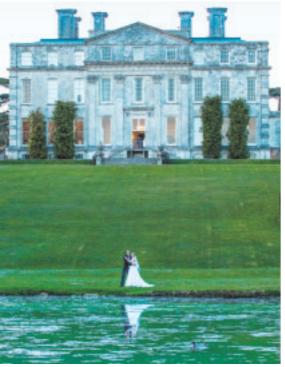
We simply can't wait to introduce you to the Deer Park; welcome to the start of your happy ever after.







# Simply Stunning Weddings at Kingston Maurward



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# Bridal beauty tips for healthy glowing skin

EVERY bride wants a radiant complexion for her wedding day, but it can be challenging to put aside the never-ending to-do lists and focus on your skin! The earlier you start the better; but even if your wedding is around the corner, your skin still has time to improve. Before you know it you'll be posing for your pictures in every angle and greeting your guests up close with hugs and kisses. bridal beauty tips for healthy glowing skin.

#### 1. Follow a good skin care routine

In the mornings and at night, use a gentle

cleanser that will properly cleanse your

# To-An-Fro

DEVON car hire specialists, To An Fro of Honiton, have a wide selection of vehicles for hire including character cars that are ideal for wedding cars. They have 7, 8, 9 and 17 seater people carriers and minibuses available to hire, all of which are fitted with seatbelts - ideal for transporting your Wedding Party and Guests between venues!

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- Since all of our habits reflect on our skin, making healthy food choices will only help our complexion look and feel healthier
- Drink 8 to 10 glasses daily to help clear up blemishes and make your skin more

Get proper sleep, 7-8 hours. The more you sleep, the more your skin will rejuvenate itself and regulate stress hormones that age the skin.

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Symondsbury Estate

# Two of the most beautiful wedding venues in Dorset



SYMONDSBURY Estate quite simply offers two of the most beautiful wedding venues in Dorset. Both the Tithe Barn and Crepe Farmhouse are licensed for civil weddings and partnerships.

With inside and outside spaces at both venues this offers flexibility whatever the weather!

Crepe Farmhouse - is a beautifully renovated, luxurious 5 star property with accommodation for 17 people. The farmhouse has a number of spacious rooms perfect for the bride and groom to get ready and will give a feeling of grandeur on your special day. The pretty landscaped gardens and seating areas with stunning surrounding countryside offer the perfect backdrop for the drinks and photographs. The main drive leading up to the venue provides exclusive access to your wedding reception with plenty of parking for your guests.

Tithe Barn is an exquisite and quintessentially English Barn

dating back to the 14th Century in an amazing setting within the tranquil village of Symondsbury in West Dorset. The Barn has recently undergone sympathetic and artistic renovations to enhance its natural beauty, whilst creating an elegant and charming wedding venue. The idyllic gardens create a peaceful and serene atmosphere with views up to Colmers Hill.

The Tithe Barn has recently undergone sympathetic renovations and now provides a stunning wedding and events venue, the only one of its kind in the area. It houses a fully licensed bar and the gardens have been beautifully landscaped, providing a serene and magical area with views of Colmers Hill.

Whether you are planning a summer or winter wedding, a candlelit dinner or a banquet meal our catering team will be delighted to chat through all the options with you.

One of the things we pride our-

selves on is the support we give all our clients both in the run up to and on the day of the wedding.

To arrange an appointment to view either venue or for further information please contact Amy on 01308 424116 or email: amyday@symondsburyestate.co.uk

#### **Wedding Favre**

On Sunday 5th October 2014 from 11am until 4pm Symondsbury Estate are holding a Wedding Fayre at the Tithe Barn, Manor Yard, Symondsbury. At the Wedding Fayre they will be offering the chance for a happy couple to win a mid week wedding package in the Tithe Barn!

The Wedding Package that can be won by entering a free draw will include a mid week wedding in the Tithe Barn (including the ceremony) worth £2,500. In addition to this The Shed Hair & Beauty Boutique will provide the Brides Hair & Make Up for her big day, Timeless Pictures are offering a 4 hour wedding photo package, Alison Davies will provide a Bridal Bouquet and a Chocolate Fountain will be provided by Tiger Lily Occasions.

#### **Holiday Cottages**

Symondsbury Estate are also able to offer 8 holiday properties to accommodate the couples family and friends.

Duck Street Cottage – A perfect and luxurious haven for 2, located in the heart of Symondsbury Village.

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Crepe Farm Cottage – A luxuriously renovated cottage with a hot tub and enviable views of Colmers Hill – sleeps 7 and is surrounded by an abundance of wildlife.

Axen Lodge – A retro shooting lodge – sleeps 8, with a hot tub, cabin and fabulous surrounding views in a secluded location.

Bilshay Farmhouse – with one of the most outstanding views in the area, Bilshay Farmhouse is rustic, yet comfortable – the perfect place to get away from it all – sleeps 10, with a hot tub.

Crepe Farmhouse – an 8 bedroom farmhouse that sleeps 17, the ultimate holiday home for large, extended family parties or groups of friends, with a license for civil weddings and partnerships. It has an indoor pool, sauna and hot tub.

All of the holiday properties are finished to the very highest standard and we take pride in making sure your wedding or holiday is one to remember for all the right reasons.









Join us for the launch of the Tithe Barn at our first Wedding Fayre!

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## Hooke Court

# The Perfect Place for Your Perfect Day!

HOOKE Court is the perfect venue for your big day. The elegant estate and picturesque Grade II listed 14th century manor house provide the perfect backdrop to capture on film some truly magical moments of your wedding day.

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intimate candlelit ceremony and reception for 20 in front of a roaring log fire or a weekend of celebration with exclusive use of Hooke Court for you and your guests; whatever your ideas we can help you to plan the perfect wedding to suit your requirements.

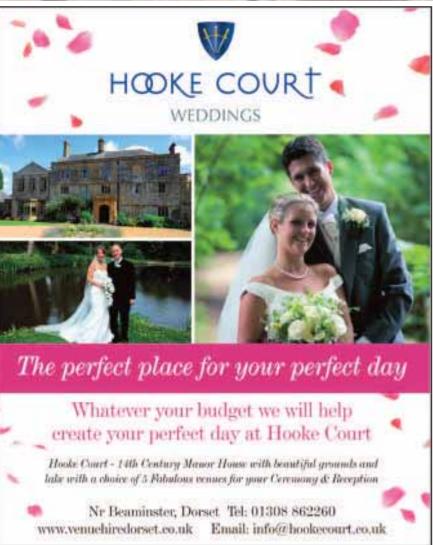
We have 5 different licensed locations; Stapleford Lodge, the Aelfric Hall and three within the Manor House, which gives you the opportunity to create a wedding ceremony reflecting your personal style.

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# **Eleanor Florence**

ELEANOR Florence is owned by Sandra and John House. This is a dream come true for Sandra. Her knowledge of wedding gowns started when she was a child, watching her mother make wedding dresses. When she met John her knowledge broadened as his mother also made wedding gowns! The name of the shop comes from Eleanor - Sandra's great grandmother and Florence - John's great grandmother. It only seemed natural to name the shop after the family connections which inspire them.

A perfect prom, evening dress or ball Gown with latest fashion trends that matches your body type is the key to look stunning on that special night. We understand that the perfect outfit has to look just right. So why not visit Eleanor Florence to try on a range of different options to ensure you get the dress of your dreams, a place where you can come to browse, relax and receive practical advice. The shop is beautiful, perfectly situated on the border of Somerset and Dorset

erset and Dorset.
Sandra said "We have been open for 16 months and cannot believe how busy we are. Meeting lots of lovely ladies along the way. Really excited about our new collection arriving from Milan in September"

Sandra is passionate in her desire to help each bride find the perfect wedding gown, whatever her requirements, while at the same time creating one of life's most memorable and enjoyable experiences.

The shop it has a warm and cozy feel to it, not only stocking wedding gowns but stunning bridesmaid dresses, prom dresses, ball gowns, bridal accessories and more.

You are always welcome to browse or appointments are available.





# Willow Photographic Studio



LYDIA Baker was born and raised in Sidmouth, and loves being a professional photographer. Since opening her studio in 2007 she hasn't looked back, and has earned the privilege of being a finalist in the Westcountry Wedding Awards for the past few years.

Lydia says, "I truly have loved making great use of my education which includes an honours Degree in Photography from Plymouth University as well as having gained a qualifying examination from the British Institute of Professional Photographers. Following my studies I jumped head first into my photography. I enjoy my work to the fullest and feel that nothing makes a better photographer than one who puts her heart and soul into every click of the camera."

As a result of Willow Photographic Studio being in such demand for all types of photography shoots as well as weddings, Lydia has taken on two briliant additional photographer, Lameze Stout and David Maxwell (Maxy). They both share the same fervour and passion for photography as Lydia does, and together they make a team who put in 100% effort, kindness, and value into every job they do. They all have a relaxed yet formal approach to their work, which provides a great environment for a perfect picture taking experience.



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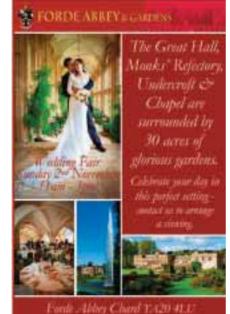
Forde Abbey has two rooms licensed for Civil Ceremonies: the larger one is the magnificent Great Hall with its stunning oak-panelled ceiling, tall mullioned windows and huge open fireplace, which seats up to 200 people; for a cosier setting, the Monks' Refectory with its family portraits offers a charming alternative and can seat up to 80 guests.

Both of these rooms lead out onto the Abbey's enchanting gardens and are equally suitable for summer or winter weddings.

For more information or to arrange a wedding viewing please call 01460 220231, e-mail susannah@fordeabbey.co.uk or visit our website www.fordeabbey.co.uk.

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At hats2go, Marie-Anne caters for all budgets with ranges starting from as little as £20 and, with the launch of her website it is now even easier to view and purchase online no matter where you are in the country.





# **Styles and trends:** lace wedding dresses

LACE is an eternally beautiful material for wedding dresses, and it's a style that has lasted for centuries in the fashion world. It's a favourite amongst designers worldwide, its reputation huge. And it's not hard to see why!

## **Wedding Dress Fashion Trends**

Lace seems to be everywhere, and the biggest designers are using it all over the world. They have been for years! Its regard may in part be due to the fine craftsmanship that is handmade lace, but the popularity of the white lace wedding dress is often attributed to Queen Victoria's marriage to Prince Albert in her lace-trimmed gown, train, and veil. Celebrities really help to push the reputation of this fine material—just look at Grace Kelly, whose wedding dress is famed in the fashion world. Now lace is everywhere, from bridalwear to wedding decoration.

Lace features in many of the trends for next year, most prominently with the likes of nude lace. The design acts as a bit of an optical illusion that may, for some, seem a little bit racy. But it gives some absolutely

beautiful effects, and a look like that of old vintage.

Being a very traditional, flattering material, lace is wonderful for a vintage or art deco wedding. It really adds a pretty elegance to the wearer, and with the ornate designs available right across the material, you can get any number of beautiful finishes to the dress. Open backs seem to be a big trend for next year, and lace can really set off that effect. Also bohemian gowns and tea length dresses really run with lace, giving some of the most stunning designs.



If you're worried a full-lace wedding dress isn't for you however, don't fret! You can still get that spark of vintage with lace sleeves, shoes, a cloak, jacket or bolero, or a belt, veil or a hairpiece. Perhaps even a handkerchief or a pair of gloves? Lace is a very flexible material to work with; with it, you can get any number of styles: chic or floaty, grand or unadorned. You may even consider some appliqué work, where bits of lace are stitched by hand to parts of the dress in order to accent it. Don't be afraid to try

out different colours either-ivory lace on a white dress, or white on pale pink or blue-silver? Brides are no longer going after the classic white wedding. Feel free to shake it



Choose your lace carefully, as it can come in many forms and give any number of stunning effectssome is denser and heavier with deep patterns, some is lighter and softer, its design delicate. And then there is even lace decorated with beads and sequins, crystals, gems and pearls, and these really echo the fashion of the Roaring Twenties or the Victorian era. Research thoroughly by perhaps keeping a scrapbook of the materials you like, and the dress designs you love, and be careful when it comes to buying your dress/accessories. There are many cheap knock-offs in the world so it's advised that you seek professional advice on what to look for when buying your items. Of course, not all of the cheaper lace is a bad thing, for when it's done right it can really suit a bride on a budget and still look magnificent.

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Ann Bruford's hallmark technique of giving her work a hand crafted textured finish is both beautiful and distinctive. A large display of her work is available. The Gallery offers the opportunity to meet Ann in the Gallery to discuss commissioned pieces (by appointment).

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The Studio offers engagement portrait shoots. The Gallery also offers a Picture Framing Service.



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At the Dower House Hotel, their aim is to make your wedding day a day you will always treasure.

Owners Neil and Rosemarie love to hear about all your ideas, and promise to do all they can to make your day unique. They make it their priority to ensure that everything runs smoothly, so that you can relax and enjoy yourself.

They can also assist with all your wedding plans should you wish them to, including making arrangements for cars, photographers, and florists, or they can simply attend to your accommodation and dining requirements should you

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# Fiona Neylan Millinery

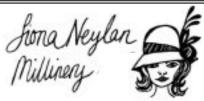
MILLINERY has been in my family since 1917, originating with my Grandmother, Gladys Falloon, and my Mother, Elaine Reid and my Aunt, Sheila Ferris.My Grandmother sailed from Ireland in 1917 to Liverpool, age 17, to train as a

I am the third generation of Milliners in my family, and whilst growing up, in Oxfordshire, I learned a lot about hats and headwear from these family members. My Grandmother, had a shop in High Wycombe in the 1930's and '40's, and then a shop in Henley-on-Thames, which my Mother and Aunt mainly ran. Being by the River Thames, ladies would come and buy hats for Henley Royal Regatta, and for Ascot, nearby and also for weddings and other occasion wear. Over the years I learned a lot of useful tips about hats. We often went to the Henley Regatta and it was a great day out of course, and My mother would often help me find a hat from the shop and then we'd add something to it or adapt it in some way to personalise it.

After A' levels and a gap year, I went to Cheltenham Art College, and did a Foundation course and a Degree in Sculpture, Fine Art, followed by a Steiner Education course. I hadn't thought about going into Millinery yet. It wasn't until some years later, after I'd had children that my interest in hats was re-kindled. After finding a box of beautiful vintage fur felt hat hoods (hat material before it is shaped) from the Henley shop, after Mum had retired, I decided to find a short course on Traditional fur felt hat blocking techniques. I found the perfect course for me ran by Tina Guintini from London, who was tutoring in Frome, Somerset at the time. I learned traditional steaming and blocking techniques and how to shape and make a hat from start to finish.

I now have a Hat Studio in the Vintage Quarter in St Michael's Trading Estate, (Studio 12), where I design and make hats in felt, fur felt, wool, cash-





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## The nail shape

MAKE sure that your nails are groomed from the minute you get engaged. Once you are engaged, you want to be careful not to compete with your engagement ring in any pictures, so it's best to keep the nails short and round.

## The nail shades

Soft pinks and nude beige shades look chic and subtle. Try finding a shade that is closest to your skin tone ensures the polish won't compete with your beautiful engagement and wedding rings in pictures.

## The longevity

You can get the most of your manicure when you apply very thin coats, letting the polish dry in between each layer so the solvents evaporate, it will wear better and last longer. Waiting at least a minute or two between each coat is recommended.

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## **CASTLE HILL**



spacious 3 bedroom family home is in an ideal location just a few minutes from Axminster town tre. It benefits from stripped wooden floors, spacious accommodation and large rear garden with access from the front of the terrace. Accommodation comprises: Entrance Hallway, Lounge with piped Wooden Floors, Kitchen Breakfast Room, Rear Lobby, Downstairs Cloakroom, 3 Bedrooms, pped Wooden Floors, Kitchen Breakfast Room Bathroom, Large Rear Garden With Side Acce nt of the terrace. EDDC housing restriction applies. EPC Rating: D. £169,950.

## **SYMES LANE**



arranged over 3 floors. In need of some updating it enjoys a quiet town centre location and a very rivate walled garden. Benefiting from gas fired central heating compries Entrance Hall, Living Ro Walk-in under stairs cupboard (potential Cloakroom) Kitchen, Lean- to, Store, 2 Double Bedroom Bathroom, Walled Private Garden. EPC Tbc, £139,950.

# **KIRBY CLOSE**



This 3 bedroom family home is situated in a quiet location close to Axminster town centre and has been largely extended to provide a spacious master bedroom with en - suite. Accommodation comprises: entrance porch, living room, kitchen/diner, utility room, downstairs cloakroom, master bedroom with en – suite, 2 bedrooms, bathroom, front and rear gardens, driveway provides parking, garage. EPC Rating: TBC. £149,950.

# **VALE LANE**



This delightful 2 bedroom terraced cottage is situated in a quiet backwater within immediate walking distance of Axminster town centre. Benefitting from gas fired central heating and double glazing this charming cottage is ideal for the first time buyer or an investment opportunity. Accomm comprises: spacious and open lounge, kitchen / diner, downstairs wetroom, 2 bedrooms, bathroom rear garden with grape vines, EPC Rating; E. £154.950

# WIDEPOST LANE



This charming semi-detached cottage is situated within easy walking distance of the town centre and enjoys a quiet backwater location. Benefiting from a sympathetic extension which provides a second reception room and utility, the cottage comprises with gas fired central heating and double glazing Entrance Lobby, Downstairs Bathroom, Kitchen/Breakfast Room Utility Room, Living Room with eplace and woodburner, Dining room and 2 Bedrooms. Outside is a private south facing rear garden with large shed. EPC Rating D. £179,950.

# **KILMINGTON**



This 3 bedroom detached house is situated in a sought after East Devon Village and benefits from a master bedroom with an en-suite shower room, level south facing rear garden & detached double downstairs cloakroom, master bedroom with en-suite, 2 further double bedrooms, bathroom, south facing garden, parking and double garage. EPC rating: C. Price £365.000

## **TATWORTH**



Situated in a delightful village centre location this woolaway constructed 3 hedroom detached bungalow benefits from a private and level 100' rear garden, replacement double glazing and gas fired central heating. Accommodation comprises: entrance porch, hall, lounge, kitchen / breakfast roo 3 bedrooms, dressing area, bathroom, ample parking with space for boat or caravan, car port / workshop/ shed, private rear garden approximately 100' x 47'. EPC Rating: D. £219,950.

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This spacious 3 bedroom terraced house benefits from a large 22' lounge dining room utility room and south facing rear garden. EDDC housing restriction applies Accommodation comprises: entrance hall, utility, lounge/diner, kitchen, cloakroom, 3 bedrooms, bathroom, front & rear gardens. EPC Rating: D. £159,950.

## **LEA COMBE**



This 2 hedroom detached house is located within a short walk of Axminster town centre and offers good sized living accommodation, garage, parking & large rear garden.

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# **SEATON £725 PCM**

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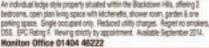
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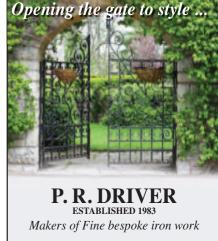


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"R-Design is created for people with a passion for things that add spice to life," said Alain Visser, Senior Vice President, Marketing, Sales and Customer Service of Volvo Car Group. "It appeals to customers that love active driving and a personal, expressive design. Every single R-Design detail is designed to contribute to the individualistic and refined expression these customers desire."

The visual promise of a dynamic ride is confirmed by the driver-centric interior featuring R-Design Contour sports seats in Nubuck and perforated leather. A choice of Drive-E powertrains offering up to 400 hp and the completely new XC90 chassis ensure an agile driving experience.

The release of the R-Design follows Volvo's release of 1,927 individually numbered black First Edition XC90's which were offered for sale exclusively online and sold out in 47 hours.

## Distinctive R-Design detailing

The R-Design exterior includes a number of distinguishing details, such as grille, front spoiler, silk metal window surround, integrated dual exhausts, integrated silver roof rails and silver matt mirror covers. 20inch R-Design alloy wheels complete the

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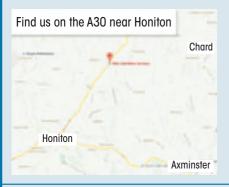
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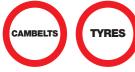
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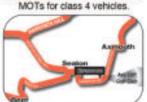






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# Tigers claw back win in cup thriller

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Alphington 3 Axminster Town 4 AXMINSTER Town came from 3-0

behind on Saturday to book a second round home tie against Witheridge. Amazingly all eight goals came after

the half-time interval. The hosts then surged ahead with

three goals in a second-half purple But the Tigers, under the gaze of

their new management team of Keith Somers and Pete Knox, rolled up their sleeves and battled back with solo efforts from Gary Spiller and Sam Dibling with a Ben Turner header sandwiched in between to level at 3-3.

Former Millwey Rise man Brad-Lee Miller then netted the Tigers winner with a well-placed shot into the cor-

Somers gave his star men award to Spiller and Ben Vine.

AXMINSTER: S.Wells-Burr, S.Burrough, M.Knight, G.Mcauley, G.Warren, B.Vine, B.Turner, B.Miller, C.Garrett, A.Wheatley, S.Dibling. Used subs: G.Spiller, M.Hewer.

Next up for the Tigers is Saturday's trip to Liverton United.

Cullompton Rangers 3 Sidmouth Town 1

SIDMOUTH welcomed back Top scorer Mark Pavey and Captain Josh French for this cup encounter against Cullompton who are sitting in the top four in the Peninsula Premier League.

Cullompton bossed the early exchanges and only some terrific goal keeping from Charlie Ledger and defensive work from Mike Pidgeon and Matt Colson kept the home side out.

However, Sidmouth should have taken the lead in the 25th minute when Pavey dragged his shot wide when one on one with the keeper and the half finished goal less.

Cullompton stepped up a gear in the second half and Sidmouth soaked up the pressure but they were always a threat on the counter attack. On the hour Pavey broke th deadlock with a fine chip from 25 yards.

The hosts levelled in the 75th minute when a lack of concentration allowed a cross to be bundled into the net.

Five minutes later Ashley Donoghue edged Cully ahead and got their third goal right on full-time as Sidmouth pushed for the equaliser.

SIDMOUTH: Ledger, Dixon, Colson, Pidgeon, Cox, Barker, French, Thompson, Pavey, Howard. Used subs: Ogley, Miller.
Next up for the Vikings is Saturday's

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HATHERLEIGH TOWN dislodged Premier leaders THORVERTON off their perch with a stunning 4-0 success. Two-goal Robin Knight, Morgan Revnolds and Jake Rowe scored for the North Devon side who are into the top six and could be dark horses this

TIVERTON TOWN have taken over top spot following their 2-0 win against a battling TOPSHAM TOWN. Richard Groom and Dave O'Connor

were the yellows scorers.

Elliot Wells scored a hat-trick for HEAVITREE UNITED in their 5-2 win against SEATON TOWN whose

penalties. Gary Webb with a penalty and Jack Furzer also scored for the

FENITON hit back to draw 3-3 with SIDBURY UNITED whose Adam Connett fluffed a second penalty when his team were 3-1 ahead. Dave Green and Danny Green also scored for Sidbury. Danny Lewis (2) and Ben Ede

were the Fenny marksmen. BOW AAC still await their first win ever in the top flight after losing 3-2 against NEWTOWN. Gavin Coles and Kieran Stone scored for the home side. Chris Long (2), James Melville and

John Cooper were on target for BEER BUDLEIGH SALTERTON.
EXETER UNIVERSITY hit a nap

hand against WILLAND without reply, while ELMORE pocketed maximum points at CHARD TOWN.

The top game in Division One saw joint leaders WITHERIDGE and HONITON TOWN share a 4-4 draw, Withy having led 4-2. Will Elsworthy, Lee Radford, Jason Manley and Stuart Bolt were the home scorers.

Two goals in injury time earned LYMPSTONE a 2-2 draw at WELLINGTON TOWN when all had seemed lost. Jeff Dorman and Mark Dunne were the scorers.

EXWICK VILLA won their first game in the league 2-0 at home to BICKLEIGH with Mark Saunders and Brad Cook getting the goals.

In Division Two NEWTON POP-PLEFORD played their 40th successive league and cup game without a victory, but the club insist they are getting better despite the 4-0 defeat at NEWTOWN.

COLYTON who kicked off against UPOTTERY as league leaders were brought back to earth by a shattering

CULLOMPTON RANGERS suffered their first setback losing 3-1 at SIDMOUTH. Robbie Pengelly was the Rangers scorer.

In Division Three HENRY'S CRONIES became the first team to lower the colours of new boys LYME REGIS winning 5-2 at Davey Fort.

Liam Carey with a late three-minute hat-trick was the star turn. Matt Webb and Tiernan West also scored. Frenchman Julien Simier and an OG made up the Seasiders' double.

EXMOUTH TOWN have a fivepoint lead at the top after crushing struggling AXMINSTER RES 6-0.

Fourth Division table-toppers ST MARTINS have still to concede a goal this season after their 4-0 victory at COUNTESS WEAR DYNAMOES.

CHERITON FITZPAINE were 7-2 winners at THORVERTON with a Chris Acton treble leading the way.

LAPFORD also hit seven but conceded one to the LORDS XI who have still to chalk up a point.

OTTERTON won their first match of the season 3-1 against Division Five leaders FENITON, but the feature of the game was a goal by keeper Adam Williams. From his area, one bounce and over the Fenny keeper. Kev Pitt and Si Tuley also scored.

UPLOWMAN transferred their match with ILMINSTER TOWN RE-SERVES to Bickleigh where they won 3-0. Rob Hanna, Darvl Berner and Chris White were the scorers.

There were bucketfuls of goals in

ished LANGDON 1-0, Tom Beddows getting a hat-trick, and NEWTON ST CYRES won 10-1 at home to BRAD-

The RAILWAY CLUB were 8-1 winner at SEATON TOWN, and altogether in the seven games played a total of 53 goals were scored.

In Division Seven WHIPTON & PINHOE defeated LYMPSTONE 10-1, SOUTH ZEAL notched nine without reply against ALPHINGTON, and OFFWELL RANGERS netted seven against AMORY GREEN ROVERS. Craig Sluman (3), Dan Williams (2), Ash Trudgeon and Brad Spiller - on his birthday - netted for the Rangers.

Dane Spiller was Sponsors W.E. Phillips & Sons (agricultural construction) choice as MoM.

WELLINGTON TOWN top Division Eight after their 9-1 win against FENITON, ST MARTINS moved into second place but on the back of a 2-1 win at home to BAMPTON

FRESHA DEVON & EXETER PREMIER
Bow AAC 2. Newtown 3.

Budleigh Salterton 2, Beer Albion 4. Chard Tn 1, Elmore 2. Chard In 1, Elmore 2.
Feniton 3, Sidbury Utd 3.
Hatherleigh Tn 4, Thorverton 0.
Heavitree Utd 5, Seaton Tn 2.
Tiverton Tn 2, Topsham Tn 0.
University 5, Willand Rov 0. DIVISION ONE

Clyst Valley 1, Beacon Knights 3. Exmouth Amats 1, East Budleigh 2. Exwick Villa 2, Bickleigh 0. EXWICK VIIIA 2, Bickleigh 0.
Newton St Cyres 1, Westexe 0.
University 4, Alphington 0.
Wellington Tn 2, Lympstone 2.
Witheridge 4, Honiton Tn 4.
DIVISION TWO

Chulmleigh 3, Hemyock 2. Colyton 0, Upottery 7. Crediton Utd 1, Tipton St John 0. Newtown 4, Newton Poppleford 0. Sidmouth Tn 3, Cullompton Rgs 1. Topsham Tn 3, Halwill 2. University 2, Culm Utd 0.

DIVISION THREE Exmouth Tn 6, Axminster Tn 0. Lyme Regis 2, Henry's Cronies 5.

Pinhoe 5. Exmouth Amateurs 2. Tedburn St Mary 1, Woodbury 3.
Thorverton 2, Cheriton Fitzpaine 7.
University 2, Clyst Valley 2.
DIVISION FOUR

Amory Park Rgs 3, Newtown 1. Bampton 2, North Tawton 0. Countess Wear 0, St Martins 4. Langdon 2, Bow AAC 3. Lapford 7, Lord's 1.

Morchard Bishop 3, Awliscombe 1. Westexe 1, Okehampton Argyle 2. DIVISION FIVE Halwill 2, Priory 3

Honiton Tn 3, Fluxton 3 Otterton 3, Feniton 1. Sampford Pev 2, Starcross Gen 2. Stoke Hill 1, Sandford 1. Uplowman Ath 3, Ilminster Tn 0. Winkleigh 7, Hatherleigh Tn 0. DIVISION SIX

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Alphington 4, Dunkeswell Rov 3.
Beer Albion 3, Woodbury 1.
East Budleigh 1, Silverton 5.
Exwick Village 2, Ottery St Mary 4.
Kentisbeare 10, Langdon 0.
Newton St Cyres 10, Bradninch 1.
Seaton Tn 1, Railway Club 8.
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Cheriton Fitzpaine 1, Winchester 4. Hemyock 6, Elmore 3. Offwell Rgs 7, Amory Green Rov 0. South Zeal Utd 9, Alphington 0. Tivvy Park Rgs 2, Pinhoe 2.

Whipton & Pinhoe 10, Lympstone 1. DIVISION EIGHT Culm Utd 6, Lapford 2 Moretonhampstead 1, Bickleigh 3. Open Space Inter 5, Sandford 3.

Ottery St Mary 1, Tedburn St Mary 7. Sidmouth Tn 2, Colyton 2. St Martins 2, Bampton 1. Wellington Tn 9, Feniton 1.

FRESHA DEVON & EXETER (3pm, unless stated)
PREMIER

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Sidbury Utd v University.
Tiverton Tn v Budleigh Salterton.
Topsham Tn v Elmore.

Alphington v Wellington Tn. Beacon Knights v Exwick Villa. East Budleigh v Witheridge. Heavitree Utd v Newton St Cyres. Honiton Tn v Bickleigh Honton In V Bickleign.
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Axminster Res v Thorverton. Axmouth Utd v Lyme Regis. Cheriton Fitzpaine v Chagford. Clyst Valley v Woodbury. Exmouth Amateurs v Pinhoe. Exmouth Tn v University. Henry's Cronies v Tedburn St Mary.

DIVISION FOUR Awliscombe Urd v Amory Park Rgs. Bow AAC v Countess Wear Dyn. Lord's XI v Okehampton Argyle. Morchard Bishop v Lapford. Newtown v Langdon. North Tawton v Westexe Rov.

St Martins v Bampton.
DIVISION FIVE Feniton v Stoke Hill. Fluxton v Halwill. Hatherleigh Tn v Honiton Tn. Otterton v Winkleigh. Priory v Starcross Generals.

Sampford Peverell v Ilminster Tn. Uplowman Ath v Sandford. DIVISION SIX Bradninch v Bere Albion.

Dunkeswell Rov v Seaton Tn. Langdon v Exwick Village. Ottery St Mary v East Budleigh. Railway Club v Newton St Cyres. Silverton v Kentisbeare.

Alphington v Tivvy Park Rgs. Amory Green Rov v South Zeal Utd. Chagford v Whipton & Pinhoe. Elmore v Offwell Rgs. Lympstone v Hemyock. nhoe v Central. Winchester v Cheriton Fitzpaine. DIVISION EIGHT Bampton v Open Space International. Bickleigh v Ottery St Mary. Colyton v Moretonhampstead. Lapford v Wellington Tn. Sandford v St Martins. Tedburn St Mary v Sidmouth Tn

PERRY STREET LEAGUE

FARWAY UNITED were cut adrift at the foot of the Division One table following a 6-3 home defeat at the hands of fellow early season strugglers Py-

Pymore were in control at the break with a 4-0 lead.

Also in Division One MILLWEY RISE struck twice early on against newly promoted Luso-Chard and were away and clear at 3-0 at half-time before going on to win 5-3.

Mark Pike (2), Terry Emmett, Joel Seward and Keith Forsey (pen) scored for the winners.

Liam Rogers (2) and Billy Reed netted for Farway after the interval but were never close to grabbing a point. A superb team goal was MILLWEY RISE RESERVES' manager Ian Hall's highlight from a 5-3 Division Three defeat at Dowlish & Donyatt.

A five-man move was rounded off by Matt Beechey who found the top corner. "That sort of thing makes it all worthwhile - the results will come in

Beechey scored another and there was one for Nicky Land. Division

In the same Division HAWKCHURCH UNITED were left clicking their heels as Barrington Reserves failed to raise a side. It was a similar story down in Divi-

sion Four with Misterton Reserves failing to show at FARWAY UTD RE-

Saturday, September 20th SOMERSET INTERMEDIATE CUP R1 Barrington 6 Bruton Utd Juniord 1 Crewkerne Rangers 2 Wedmore 3 Shepton Beauchamp Res 0 Combe A 1 Chard Rangers h/w Martock Utd South Petherton Res 0 Glastonbury 8

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Worle 6 Hinton St George 1

Lyme Regis Bantams 1 Chard Utd 1
Millwey Rise 5 Luso-Chard 3
DIVISION TWO Charmouth 4 Ilminster Town A 0 Drimpton 0 Crewkerne Town Res 0

Thorncombe 2 Beaminster Res 1 Waytown Hounds p Uplyme p DIVISION THREE Chard Utd Res 5 Thorncombe Res 2
Dowlish & Donyatt 5 Millwey Rise Res 3

Hawkchurch p Barrington Res p
Merriott Dynamos 1 Kingsbury Episcopi 1
DIVISION FOUR Chard Utd All Stars 0 Merriott Rovers 12

Combe B p Forton Rangers Res p Uplyme Res 7 Chard Rangers Res 2 Winsham Utd Res 7 Drimpton Res 1 Farway Utd Res p Misterton Res p FIXTURES: September 27th

(Cup games all 2pm ko) CORONATION CUP R1 Ilminster Town Colts v Misterton W & M Chinnock v Crewkerne Town DIVISION ONE CUP R1 Barrington v Millwey Rise Lyme Regis Bantams v Chard Utd Netherbury v Perry Street Res JOHN FOWLER CUP R1 Dowlish & Donyatt v Thorncombe Res Merriott Dynamos v Chard Rangers Millwey Rise Res v Barrington Res Milliwey Rise Res v Barrington Res PREMIER (League games all 2.30ko) Combe Res v Shepton Beauchamp Lyme Regis Res v Perry Street South Petherton v Beaminster DIVISION ONE Farway Utd v Forton Rangers Pymore v Winsham Utd

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Thorncombe v Waytown Hounds
Uplyme v Crewkerne Rangers
DIVISION THREE Chard Utd Res v Hawkchurch Utd Shepton Beau Res v South Petherton Res

DIVISION FOUR Crewkerne Rangers Res v Merriott Rovers Drimpton Res v Chard Rangers Res

Forton Res v Uplyme Res Misterton Res v Hinton Winsham Utd Res v Combe B Farway Utd Res v Chard Utd AS

# youth football news

# MILLWEY RISE round-up

Under 9s Exeter & District League: Millwey Rise 3–2 Dawlish Leopards (Noah Al Sedani 3), Millwey Rise 3-0 Dawlish Cheetahs (Louis Newcombe 2. Owen Dibling). Under 10s Exeter & District League: East Colyton Rebels 0-5 Millwey Rise (Jacob England 3, Ben Fox 2).

Under 13s Exeter & District Division 2: Millwey Rise 1-8 Countess Wear Dynamos (Charlie Bye)

◆ Both the Under 9s and Under 13s Match Ball Sponsors for the day were Thomas Westcott Chartered Accountants. If anyone is interested in becoming a match ball

sponsor, please contact Daniel Murnane at dmcoaching@hotmail.co.uk.

Seaton U16s travelled to mid-Devon to face

Witheridge took the lead before Joe Urquhart equalised with a superb goal. But the hosts scored again to lead 2-1 at half time.

After the break Urquhart bagged his second before Cameron Gould to edge Seaton in front at 3-

But Witheridge responded to level things up once again but The greens weren't to be denied and Urquhart completed his hat-trick to clinch the

Seaton under 9s played two very entertaining games against Sidmouth sides on Saturday, going down 4-1 and 3-2.

The games were closely fought and Seaton competed very well.

The goals from Aaron Hale (2) and Leo Gribble were great examples of the team play that is signaling real progress in their development. Gribble was outstanding all morning, breaking up

play and providing defensive cover all over the pitch while debutant Adam Clinch showed safe hands, great distribution and gelled into the team seamlessly

Ottery St Mary U9s travelled to Exeter to take on Heavitree & Pinhoe at weekend.

The Otters came out victorious in both games winning, 7-0 and 8-4. Goals came from Freddie Clarke (7), Zach Wilkinson (4), Sam Hatswell (3) and Jack Carpenter.

# archery honiton

# Golden quartet!

THERE was golden medal success for four of the Honiton Lacetown members at the recent DCAS Autumn Gold archery tournament in Brixham.

Mark Cardy finished first in the Junior Gents U18 (St George) gents compound with a score of 920pts, 108/H, 85/G.

Wendy Broom won the Ladies Compound (St George) 870/108/67.

In the Short Windsor Junior Ladies U16 Compound there was gold for Catherine Marshall (791/107/47) while Ben cardy finished top in the Junior Gents (Junior Windsor) U12 Compound with 934/108/93

# badminton otter vale

OTTER Vale Badminton Club has launched an appeal to try and attract new members.

The club meets on Tuesday nights from 7.30pm to 9.30pm at the Colin Tooze Sports Centre in Ottery St

The friendly and welcoming club has teams that play in the men's, ladies and mixed divisions of the Exeter & District Badminton League, but even if you do not want to play league matches, the club would be happy to welcome you.

◆ Anyone interesting in joining or just finding out more information can contact Sue on 01404 813023 oraansobrien@aol.com or ring Teresa on 01404 850336

running axe valley runners and honiton rc

# round-up Luke gets the green light!

with Diane Newton

ON Sunday, September 14th Luke Reed was in Weymouth in the Challenge Uk Due to a very choppy sea the organisers

had to change the swim course to ensure the safety of the athletes. Luckily they didn't shorten the course, so it remained a very tough 1900m which Luke finished in

Then onto the Bike around the Roads of Dorset where the wind made for quite a battle. Luke completed the 56-mile course in 2:52:20

Onto the run and Luke's legs were feeling a bit jaded from the swim and bike but he managed to get stronger as he went on, completing the Half Marathon in 1:35:34. This gave Luke a very pleasing 79th overall out of 775 starters.

Reed was in action again on Sunday in the Langport Triathlon.

The race was marred slightly by the Highways Agency setting up three-way traffic lights on the bike course which made results very interesting with some people losing up to two minutes!

Luke was lucky enough not to be held up and managed to finish 6th overall out of

350 competitors. His splits were 400m pool swim 6:26, 22.5k bike 38:02 and for the tough 5k run, 21:03 giving an overall time of 1:05:31

On the same day Graham Newton ran the Bristol Half-Marathon.

Ideal running conditions and an attractive route around the dock and river area of Bristol made this an outstanding city run.

Graham did well to finish in 1:32:22 taking more than half a minute off his PB, and coming finishing in first place in the over Beer League 60 category and 614th overall out of 15,000

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Results, week three;

Cloakham Lawns 2 Tal-

bot Arms 3, Gerrard

Arms 2 Nags Head LR

3, Lamb Swans 2 New

Inn Kilmington 3, Old

Inn Kilmington 3 Stepps

2, Royal Oak 2 Beer

Club 3, Axminster Con

Club 2 Ship Inn LR 3.

Cloakham Lawns 1 Talbot Arms 1, Gerrard Arms 2 Nags Head LR 1. Lamb Swans 1 New Inn Kilmington 2, Old Inn Kilmington 1 Stepps 2, Royal Oak 2 Beer Club 1, Axminster Con Club 1 Ship Inn LR 2.

# September 29th

Lamb Swans v Talbot Arms, Old Inn Kilmington v Nags Head LR. Royal Oak v New Inn Kilmington, Cloakham Lawns v Beer Club. Gerrard Arms v Ship Inn LR, Axminster Con Club v Stepps.

Table - week 2

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Axminster Con Club......3

Old Inn Kilmington......3 2

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# skittles axminster & colyton leagues 309 (M Collier, A Cross 55) v

## AXMINSTER LEAGUE Ladies Knock Out Cup 1st Round.

Tuckers C 335 (J Broom 60) v Gerrard Guzzlers 345 (A Collings 64) Red Lion A 357 (J Flint 70) v Tuckers A 358 (L Gould 77) Cloakham Castaways 280 (H Ebdon 50) v Thorncombe A 299 (K Gaylard 64) PJ's Social 350 (M Smith 63) v Seaton BC 307 (C McDonald 59) New Inn A 294 (G Perkins 52) v Colcombe A 305 (A Ogden 57) Kings Army Seaton 331 (C Carter 66) v Ax Inn A 322 (C Banner 67) Gerrard A 263 (C Thurston 54) v Colcombe B 270 (S Wilton 62) Colcombe Girls 337 (S Wills 65) v B & J's Cloakham 334 (A Newman 62) Lamb A 295 (C Cleverly 57) v Red Lion Rabble 289 (F Bagge 63) Ax Allsorts 243 (J Pring 49) v Rousdon Ladies 298 (P Lenn 56) Cloakham A 319 (A Ellis 62) v Colcombe Angels 313 (S Gush 57) Perfect Pins 346 (K Boalch 72) v Tuckers B 335 (C Cole 63) W H Wilm A 324 (H Hible 60) v Wotnots 349 (C Phillips 67) Thorncombe Newtops given game Seaton FC 328 Smitham 65) v New Inn B 344 (W Mitcham 67).

# Men's League Results

17th September
Division 1: Ax Con Rebels 302 (M Smith 57) v Sidmouth Arms 271 (T Bright 53) Lamb Spartans 333 (S Hall 63) v Gerrard A 331 (N Broom 63) The Feds 377 (G Warren 69) v Colcombe A 362 (T Underdown 64) Old Kilm A Lamb A 335 (A Freeman 60) Thorn Drifters 391 (C Wyatt 70) v Thorncombe B 370 (A Farley 69) Red Devils 408 (D Huntley 72) v Green Army 402 (J Lack 75) B & G's 354 (M Enticott 66) v Red Lion D 316 (D Herbert,T Herbert 59)

Division 2: Cloakham Stars 344 (J Fursey 67) v Old Kilm B 352 (J Smart 69) W H Wilm A 355 (K Moran 69) v Tuckers C 384 (D Roberts 76) New Inn A 309 (N Ward 58) v Ax Inn Jokers 347 (A Churchill 62) Ax Con B 322 (H Thresher 58) v Red Lion C 349 (M Herrod 68) Kings Arms Seaton 363 (Matt 66) v Gerrard D 361 (D Randall 78) Tuckers B 401 (F Pulman snr 75) v Hawk H/C's 389 (J Lucas 74)

Division 3: Red Lion B 390 (A Beer 70) v Tuckers Y 384 (R Pike 75) Colcombe B 353 (P Wyatt,K Wyatt 64) v W H Warriors 365 (P Harrison 73) George Chdstk 351 (P Herrod 68) v Ax Inn B 323 (T Hoad jnr 71)

**Division 4:** Kings Wingers 284 (P Horne 59) v Wootton Sherberts 285 (J Chapman 60) Ax Inn A 318 (T Pratt 65) v Colcombe Nomads 293 (B Sheddon 55) Winston Wobblers 323 (Crezzy 60) v Ship Rotary 328 (J Brennan,N Smy 60) Gerrard C 302 (J Cornish 59) v New Inn Hawks 294 (D Lucas 58).

# COLYTON LEAGUE

**Division 1**: New Inn A 360 (R Webb, N Ives 66) Lamb B 316 (B Dicks 61); Red Lion Cavaliers 430 (M Summers 82) Red Lion A 397 (Maggie Miller 79); Honiton Con D 366 (M Wakley 68) Colcombe A 348 (G Millman 59): Honiton WMC A 356 (J Barker 69) Vine B 351 (D Blackmore 63); Gerrard A 319 (R Hooper 62) Colvton Club 297 (R Tedbury 55); Lamb A 357 (S Pomeroy 71) Axminster Con Club 346 (S Woolloff 66); Honiton Converts 392 (C Lapping 72) Cloakham B 425 (P Miller 87):

Division 2: Beer B 333 (J Cornell 62) Tuckers Arms B 322 (Lorna Gould 58); Ship C 354 (M Clement 76) Cloakham Wanderers 358 (C Coulson 66); Vine A 360 (P Eveleigh 73) Mountbatten Whites 325 (E Bonetta 73); Volunteer A 324 (M Baden 59) Eagle Tavern 300 (S Weech 58); Winstons B 388 (M Pavey 82) Seaton AFC A 356 (M Searle 70);

Division 3: Cloakham C 368 (A & B Ostler 75) Offwell A 333 (R Pincombe 67); Colcombe B 378 (T Reynolds 68) Beer Vikings 388 (S Jackson 77); Beer Albion 348 (B Hurford 75) Beer A 315 (D Copp 62); Awliscombe Harts 405 (j Woollacott 85) Volunteer B 420 (M Spink 97); Sidbury Lions 336 (R Clinton 68) Sidbury Social club A 299 (T Guest 57); Three Tuns Hammers 357 (B Spiller 71) White Hart B 366 (G Stephens

Division 4: Tuckers C 365 (F Pearse 67) Tuckers A 385 (M McAlpine 76); Honiton Con A 339 (K Elly 61) Beer D 320 (K Taylor 61); Rising Sun A 340 (C Leworthy 62) New Inn B 336 (D 299 ( G Ansty 54) Honiton Conartists 290 (D Jones, P Dale 55); Seaton AFC B 351 (C Zieman 66) Kingfisher A 345 (M Griffiths 65); Kings Arms A 351 (C Rogers 64) Honiton Con BTP 355 (E Williams 70); **Division 5**: White Hart A 330 (B

Schofield 60); Axminster Inn A

Parr 65) Winstons A 340 (M Mc-Garrigle 67); Kingfisher B 271 (A Hurford 56) WSeaton Bowling 301 (T H-Smith 54); Heathfield A 315 (D Crabb 64) Honiton WMC B 351 (G Hart 66); Beer C 292 (Emma Westlake Natalie Gribble 53) Honiton Con B 315 (M Sansom, B Solman, D Norman 54); P J'S 337 (N Stone, A Harris, P Neild 58) Heathfield B 344 (M : Glaeser 67).

## KO Trophy - September 17th, Bluebelles 327 Tuckers A 347, Drewe Arms 380 Misfits 335, Vine A 341 Volunteer 350, Allsorts 311 Volliers 288, Coasters

HONITON LEAGUE

411 Cricketers 444, Hon Con A 352 Vine B 370, Tuckers B 405 R Bluebirds 307, Three Tuns B 387 Highfield 358, Offwell 365 Blues 376, Winos 316 Tigers Volly 349, Be Tother Lot 335 Three Tuns A 384, PWP 377 Woodpeckers 378, Raiders 354 Blackboro 352.

Draw for round Two: Vine Reds v Vine B. Honiton Inn v Raiders, Tuckers B v Scruffs or Hillbillies, Drewe Arms v Blues, Tuckers A v Cricketers, Three Tuns A v Tigers Volunteers, Allsorts v Volunteer, Three Tuns B v Woodpeckers.

# Final round success for swimmers

THE Chard & District Swimming Club team team of 12 and under juniors competed in the recent final round of the Southern Junior League held at Littledown Centre, Bournemouth writes Heather Pullinger.

The final comprised eight teams from some of the best clubs in the area and competition was fierce.

Despite being some swimmers down due to illness and other commitments, the swimmers achieved 46 personal best times overall and fought hard to achieve a commendable sixth place.

Some great swims secured the following top three positions in the 49 events: First places: Millie Downes (10) 50m breaststroke, Xanthe Dyer (12) 50m breaststroke, Harriet Copeman (10) 50m freestyle and Grace Lambert in the 9 years 50m butterfly. Second places went to: Jimmy Brett (10) in the 50m backstroke.

Third places went to Maddie Veevers nine years 50m breaststroke, and Grace Lambert in the nine years 50m backstroke.

Relay successes: the 10 year Girls

finished first in their freestyle relay and second in the medley, whilst the nine-year girls finished second in their medley relay.

The nine-year Boys team achieved a third place in both their relays.

## Junior League Squad:

Boys: Freddie Coles, Ruben Wild, Sam Hare, Lyndon Smith, Jevan Hampton-Rumbold, Louis Rood, Joe Swan, Jimmy Brett, Louis Whittome William Hawkins, Ben Webb, Joss Copeman, Simon Davis, Oliver

Girls: Florence McConnell, Maddie Veevers, Mia Porter, Grace Lambert Millie Downes, Harriet Copeman, Briana Barrand, Abi Greenslade, Leonie Housham, Megan Herbert, Xanthe Dyer, Daisy Brett, Helen Underwood.

Thanks go to all the coaches, especially June, Malcolm and Paula, plus our officials Penny and Gordon and parent helpers in particular Emma and Gail who assisted with the event.

◆ For more information about Chard & District Swimming Club visit their website chardswimming.org.uk

# netball honiton

# Champs off to a flier

**DEFENDING Champions Otters started** where they ended the last winter season with a victory over newly promoted JD Tyres.

The first quarter had started brightly with Otters just edging ahead 9-5 In the second quarter they took con-

trol and with Helen Wright playing well they powered to a 29–7 lead. JD, with Sam Brunskill doing well, could just not find a way back and Otters continued to dominate winning the game 49-13.

The second game saw Hi Q up against summer champions Uplowman.

At quarter time Uplowman were 11-10 ahead, but by half way Hi Q were in front 22-21. The game was nip and tuck with Jaz Chester playing well for Hi Q and Vicky Channings the Uplowman star. In the third period Uplowman opened

up a 30–28 lead only for Hi Q to bounce back to level the game at 34-34.

In Division Two both relegated teams found themselves in action with Signs South West playing Blackdown Ladies and Sidmouth Toucans up against Otter

With Chistina Oyo in fine form at centre the SSW were soon in control and although Louise Crabb worked hard for Blackdown they could never get back into the game after they went 10–1behind in the first quarter.

From then on Signs scored consistently to finish victors by 38-9.

Toucans just edged in front against Otter Valley to lead 8–7 at half way, before pulling away in the important third period to lead by 17-10.

The final quarter was again goal-forgoal with Toucans winning by 24–16. Louise Neilson was the Sidmouth player of the match whilst Catherine Phillips took the plaudits for Otter Val-

## Results

Division One; Otters 49 JD Tyres 13, Hi Q 34 Uplowman 34.

Division Two; Signs South West 38 Blackdown Ladies 9, Sidmouth Toucans 24 Otter Valley 16.

# golf extras

# Sophie polishes off a another title

LOCAL golfer Sophie Keech was given a "wild card" entry, in recognition of her World Ranking, to the recent Polish Junior Championship, part of the World Junior Golf Tournament Series (WJGTS) held in Wroclaw where entries included 55 players from 15 different coun-

Sophie's first round got off to a positive start with a birdie at the hardest ranked par 5, 2nd

She finished the day one over par and a two shot lead in the girls' championship field.

Day two started with a delay due to the course being enveloped by fog. But the delay had done nothing to dampen

Sophie's game as she ended on top of the leader board by six shots.

The pin positions were far tougher on the third and final day and the heavy rain on the previous days meant the course was playing

However, Sophie birdied the first hole and at halfway was one under for the day and eight shots ahead of the field.

She then birdied both the par 3, 11th and the par 5, 15th. There was a large crowd waiting to cheer her in as champion on the 18th hole with an overall score of 3 under, a hugely impressive margin of 12 shots in the girls' competi-

As the final group in boys' competition came in with a winning score of 2 under, Sophie was declared the overall winner of the Champi-



# Third ace for Pat!

a hole-in-one during a recent club competition to be rewarded with a limited-edition BOSS watch as recognition for the achievement.

Pat Purtell, 76, scored his ace on the 110-yard, parthree second at Honiton Golf Cub, and the 13-handicapper was rewarded with membership of the exclusive BOSS Watches H1 Club and a specially-

commissioned, commemorative timepiece. He said: "I have been playing golf for 45 years and had never had a hole-in-one, but in 2007 I had a heart bypass operation and six months later, I got my first

Six months after that, I got my second, so this is my third hole-in-one. It's like a bus - when one comes along two more come!"

The scheme is open to any golfer whose club uses HowDidiDo - a free-to-use, web-based social network for golfers - and anybody playing in official club competitions is eligible. Currently, more than 1,800 clubs use the website

Stephen Brydon, commercial director for MGS Distribution, the official licenced UK distributor for BOSS Watches, said: "Congratulations to Pat on achieving a hole-in-one.

"To the majority of amateur golfers, recording a holein-one will be the most memorable thing they achieve in golf - we want to ensure they have much better memories than merely a dent in their bank balance after buying drinks in the clubhouse.

"The exclusive BOSS watch is available only to golfers who record a hole-in-one. We hope it will provide a constant reminder of the achievement."

# golf clubs news

# Lyme Regis ladies lift county trophy

Monthly Sableford

IT was back to the bread and butter games and a generous turn out for the monthly Stableford. The course was exposed as scores were high.

In Division One Ed Reece romp home with 43pts

ahead of Alan Jackson and Dave Carnal with 38pts each. In Division Two it was a similar story as J.Meads finished with 40pts, Sid Martin was second with 39pts and Brian Morrison third with 38.

## **Tuesday Mixed**

THIS week has seen two Mixed Cup competitions.

The first was the Glanvill Cup which is a foursomes Stableford competition.

Twenty four teams entered and there was only one two. Jackie and Allan Seager had an amazing two on the 1st hole and won 16 balls. Allan had a super drive and Jackie

A good start with five points on the card but the final winners were our Club Captain, Ron Graham, playing with the Ladies Vice Captain Olwen Eaton with 35

The runners up were Catherine and Charlie Doherty with 33 points

On Tuesday the re-arranged Walker Cup was played

This is a much kinder Greensome competition as reflected in the scores. There were three 2s, each pair winning six balls - Ken and Elizabeth Wood and Paul Ritchie and Janet Hughes on the 2nd, and Peter and Heather Clarke on the 4th.

The final winners were Terry Dimond and Penny Blackburn with 44 points on countback, and in 2nd were Paul Ritchie and Janet Hughes also with 44 points.

In third place were Peter and Heather Clarke with 42

## **Ladies Section**

ON Wednesday, September 10th the Ladies from Honiton competed for the coveted Grannies Cup. Jane Watts was the worthy winner this year with a total

of 35 Stableford points with Joan Smith in 2nd place with

Not to be left out, the ladies without grandchildren played for their own Non-Grannies Cup and the winner here was Ann Trayling with 36 Stableford points. Runner-up was Diana Gee with 34 points.

Last week the ladies competed for the honour of representing the Club in the National Daily Mail Foursomes. Results were high and it was a photo finish for 1st and

2nd places, but the qualifiers are Jackie Seager and

Heather Clarke with a total of 38 points (c/b). Hilda Hoepelman and Ann Desmoulins put up a fine

challenge, also scoring 38 points, but were beaten on c/b.
Prizes were awarded to Jane Watts and Chris Luttman

in 3rd with 36 points, Tricia Swindell and Olwen Eaton in 4th place with 31 points (c/b) and in 5th place Henrietta Bradshaw and Su Calver also with 31 points. In the nine-hole Stableford competition Barbara Mullet

was 1st with 15 points and Rosemary Whiteley was 2nd with 14 points

# AXE CLIFF with Helen Kenworthy

ON Sunday, September 7th the Men played their MONTHLY MEDAL. Results; Division One - 1st Anthony Hellier net 69, 2nd

Steve Anning net 70. Division Two - 1st Cyril Hellier, 2nd John Collins, An-

thony Hellier had the only two. On Sunday, September 13th they played a MONTHLY STABLEFORD. Results; 1st (on back nine) Jim Hong 38pts, 2nd Alex Palmer 38pts and 3rd Alex Todd 36pts.

Alan Kenworthy and Alex Palmer.

## LYME REGIS with Matt Searle

LYME Regis ladies made history when they won the Dorset Interclub Trophy for the first time. The trophy

The ladies played with determination against a strong Parkstone side resulting in a convincing win 5 matches to 2. The team comprised: Melissa McMahon Jane Southcombe Jane Dixon Jenny Scott Caroline Baker Cyndy Mudford and Sue Fossett.

The Senior Section had a particularly good week. They played two friendly matches against other golf clubs. They had a resounding win, four games to two against Dorset Golf and Country Club which was followed up by a closer match beating Exeter Golf Club by four and a half games to three and a half games. This week also saw the inaugural competition in memory of the late Max

The roll up that he ran invited guests to play alongside them in a shot-gun start - over 80 golfers took part. We all sat down to a meal together where the winning pair of Alan Woodbridge and Neil Thomas were presented with the trophy

The Juniors played in the Presidents Prizes hosted by John Owen.

The gross prize was won by Dave Lyon with an excellent 3 under par gross score of 68.

The net prize won by George Seed with a nett 70 after beating Stu Wight and Matt Watson on count back.



# bowls round-up

by Roger Smith

THE Club President Michael Chipperfield laid an excellent spread for PRESIDENT'S DAY.

On a pleasant afternoon the competition was won by M Chipperfield, B Halse, D Conbeer & R North +23 and the runners up were E Cox, A Morgan. S Crawford & R Veitch +13.

The ladies final match of the season was a 51-44 victory away at SID-

The winning rinks were; G Smith, E Rolph & C Granger 21-12 and L Morris, J Smith & Ru Clarke 16-14.

The mixed team lost 52-68 away at TIVERTON BOROUGH. The only winning rink was J Wheatley, S Kury & A Kury.

The recent FINALS WEEKEND started with the mixed triples.

In an exciting match that went to the final end, Tony Young, Di Phillips & David Evans defeated Martin Mitchell, Jo O'Sullivan & Graham Phillips 23-22 on the last end.

The Club singles saw David Evans eventually defeat Robin Cooke 21-

The husband and wife competition was won by Roger & Ruth Clarke who drew four shots on the last end to defeat Alan & Gill Smith 26-25. The men's final was won by Kevin

Lovering who defeated David Evans In the ladies final Glynda Black-

more defeated Judy Smith 21-9.

The club pairs was won by David Evans & Don Coyne 26-12.

The Sir John Acland competition was won by Phil Spreadbury who defeated Roy Lovering 7-2, 7-3, 2-7, 7-

## **SEATON** with Linda Stone

The summer bowls season is now drawing to a close.

Seaton played its last two friendlies, the first on Monday at CREWK-ERNE, which we lost 79 - 92 even though the rink of Norman Stone, Ian Manchester, Terry Hurley-Smith and Joan Miles valiantly won by 27 shots to 14. Well done to them.

The last friendly was at LYME REGIS where we returned to our winning ways with a 143 shots to 112 shots victory. Top rink was Angie Mayhew, Doug Hislop, Peter Greenwood and George Mabon.

On Saturday we celebrated a really successful season with a fun game of target bowls.

Each team had to bowl to a target on the rink scoring points according to how close the bowls ended up to the 'gold' centre target.

Dressed in bright colours, and some in fancy dress, a hilarious time was had by all.

At the end of the game the club Captain Pat Whitworth, ably assisted by many of the members, laid on a meal that was much enjoyed by all.

The winning rink of the target game was Peter Grigg, Jasper Chun (a junior member who won his first ever trophy), Graham Thomas and skip Linda Stone, with a magnificent score of 50 points.

Now we look forward to the winter season of short-mat bowls.

On Sunday members stripped out the partitions in the clubhouse that form the changing rooms for the summer and laid down the mats ready for the winter.

Anyone who is interested in joining us through the winter please phone Linda Stone (Club Secretary) on 01297 624237 all would be most wel-

**AXMINSTER** with David Harris AXMINSTER bowlers finished their outdoor season with three losses in their last four friendly matches but overall have had a good season and certainly a very enjoyable one.

We started with a narrow 73-78 defeat at SEVERALLS with wins for Morrison Brown, David Harris, and Bob Sherborne (22-14) and Alan Taylor, Steven Apsey, and Derek Pheby (20-15) before beating CHARD-STOCK 107-47 at home with wins for Phil White, Daphne Ryan, David Harris, and Brian Clark (35-7), Brenda Edwards, Morrison Brown, Frank Bridge, and Margaret Crompton (32-7), and Les Clark, Brenda Raistrick, Pam Hunter, and Tony Cable (24-16)

We then suffered two heavy defeats firstly 56-100 at OTTERY ST

MARY with no winners and then 56-101 at CULMVALE in a five rink triples - again with no winners but narrow 14-15 defeats for Alan Brown, Margaret Brown, and Brian Clark and Phil White, David Harris, and Alfie Day.

# LYME REGIS with Paul Moffitt

AFTER last week's finals weekend this week was limited to one friendly, the men's end of season roll-up and supper and finally the annual gents v ladies. Some of the ladies looked mysteriously familiar but, usually in male guise!

The friendly against SEATON was lost by 111-143.

Lyme 111 Seaton 143; A Foster, N Solomon, G Clode, R Legg 15-32; V Cozens, M Heneghan, A Nabarro, K Clissold 17-31; B Downes, B Smith, S Wood, B Parsons 23-19; P Ward, P Stephens, T Payne, B Rattenbury 27-13; C Clissold, J Kesterton, C Bell, E Skeemer 14-23; K Faragher, B Turpin, R McLennan, D Wood 16-25.

The men's roll-up was followed by supper, as ever put on by Sue Wood and her helpers.

The ladies who were responsible for providing the refreshments after the league games all season, were presented with gifts by Judith Moffitt (championship), Jan Parsons (Division One and Sue Wood (Division Two) the captains of the three league



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# SUPPER AND RACE NIGHT

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# Experienced duo take reins at Axminster



KEITH Somers and Pete Knox have been appointed as the new joint first-team managers at South-West Peninsula League Division one side Axminster Town.

A statement on the South-West Peninsula League website forum read: "We (ATFC) are delighted to announce the club has appointed Peter Knox and Keith Somers as our new management team.

"Pete has a wealth of playing experience having turned out for; Alfreton Town, Gainsborough Trinity, Eastwood Town, Harrogate Town, Worksop Town, Merthyr Tydfil, Taunton Town and Bridgwater Town. This is his first step into management.

"Keith played for Colyton and Beer Albion. He has managed Colyton and Seaton Town and has for the past four years been one of Exeter City's Advanced Development Centre Managers working with the Academy.

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"We felt that Pete's experience of playing at a high level mixed with Keith's management experience and knowledge of local players was the best fit for our club."

Somers told *Pulman's View Sport*: "We met club officials on Sunday (September 14th) and were offered the roles the following evening.

"We're obviously both very pleased to take charge in what is a very exciting time for the club.

"After being involved in local football for many years I have had a spell away from the game and was a little dubious about stepping back in.

"But after meeting the club officials and seeing the wonderful new ground that is, all being well, set to be ready early next month, it was an easy decision to make. I've not been a joint manager before but am looking forward to working with Knoxy. He has a hamstring injury at the moment so will be on the sidelines on Saturday."

Knox, a prison guard who works in Shaftesbury, is hopeful of being available most weeks, "Having talked it through it sounds as if he will be around for 75 per cent of matches' said Somers, who also confirmed that there would be some new faces appearing in the Tigers squad in the near future.

Somers also had a word for former player-manager Gary Mcauley who stepped down from the role at the beginning of the month: "Gary is keen to just play – he a great asset to have, his experience is vital on the field."

◆ See news of how the Tigers fared in Saturday's Walter Parson Cup 1st round match at Alphington inside on page 61.



